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TREASON IN MINDANAO

General Davis Has Proof of Furnishing of Ammunition to Insurgents.

MILITARY CONTROL IS ASKED

General Wade Indorses Davis's Petition---Philippine Commission Expected to Refuse Application.

By Associated Press.

Manila, Dec. 22.— General George W. Davis, commanding at Zamboanga, island of Mindanao, has requested that the province of Misamis, Mindanao, again be placed under military control. General Davis has proof that the recently elected president and vice president and the leading men of Cagayan of Misamis are guilty of treason in furnishing ammunition to the insurgents within the past month. The fiscal of the province of Misamis is also implicated.

The evidence shows that all these members of the secret Katipunan society. General James F. Wade, commanding the American forces on Cebu island, concurs in and indorses the request of General Davis, and reviewing the situation in Mindanao says he is satisfied that the ends of justice, peace and good government will soonest be obtained by the restoration of military control to the province of Misamis and the overcoming of all resistance to the authority. It is expected that the United States Philippine commission will refuse this request as they did a similar application made by General Chaffee concerning the province of Tayabas, Luzon, where the rebels have recently been particularly active.

SULLIVAN CONVICTED ON A CONSPIRACY CHARGE

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Dec. 22.—The jury in the case of Lawyer Alexander Sullivan on trial before Judge Abner Smith for conspiracy to abet a fugitive from justice came into court today with a verdict of guilty. As punishment the jury imposed a fine of $2,000. This carried with it no prison sentence. State's Attorney Mathes demanded that Sullivan be taken to jail but the court declined to force this demand and Sullivan was permitted to leave the court room with his attorneys.

Sullivan's counsel entered a motion for a new trial which Judge Smith will hear upon tomorrow. Should this motion be overruled, judgment for $2,000 will enter judgment against the attorney.

The charges against Sullivan were an outgrowth of jury bribing scandals in the Chicago courts.

Former Bailiff James J. Lynch, the principal witness in the trial of Sullivan, was indicted for jury bribing in December, 1898. At this time Alexander Sullivan was the general counsel for the West Chicago Street Railway company. Indictments charging bribery at other times were found against Lynch. He fled to Canada but was induced to return again. He declared that Sullivan had induced him to bribe jurors. He told his story to the grand jury and indictments for conspiracy to assist and persuade a fugitive from justice to get without the jurisdiction of the court, and assisting and persuading the fugitive to remain without the jurisdiction of the court were voted against Alexander Sullivan, Frederick St. John, Edward Maher and Frank P. Murray. Separate trials were granted on motion of Maher and Sullivan was the first selected to make answer in court to the allegations in the indictment. He was arraigned before Abner Smith. The trial lasted four weeks and two days.

DEPEW SAYS HUTIN HURT PANAMA COMPANY'S CAUSE

By Associated Press.

London, Dec. 22.—Senator Chauncey Depew in an interview with a representative of the Associated Press today said that had M. Hutin, former president of the Panama Canal company, offered to sell the canal for $40,000,000 instead of expecting the United States to bicker about the price the United States would probably have bought the property. The senator also said that he believed that the decision reached yesterday by the Panama Canal company had come too late.

According to a dispatch from Paris to the Associated Press, dated December 21, the shareholders of the Panama Canal company that day adopted a report which proposed, among other things, to adopt as a basis of negotiation for the sale of the canal to the United States the figures and declarations contained in the conclusions of the isthmian commission's report and to give the mandatory of the canal company power to close the discussion by proposing a fixed price.

OPERATION LEFT ALGER IN SERIOUS CONDITION

By Associated Press.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 22. An operation was performed today on Gen. R. A. Alger, former secretary of war, who has been suffering for a long period from severe attacks of gall stones. General Alger rallied well from the operation and the surgeons reported late this afternoon that he had recovered almost entirely from the shock. His temperature was but little above normal and his pulse was strong. The following official statement was issued by the surgeons in regard to the operation:

"A condition of infected gall bladder was present, as the result of gall stones. There were many adhesions about the gall bladder, which were opened and drained. General Alger's condition is serious, but he stood the operation well."

The operation was performed by Drs. C. H. Jennings, H. W. Longyear, H. O. Walker and E. L. Shurley of this city, Dr. William Osler of Baltimore, and J. B. Kander and J. B. Murphy of Chicago.

At 7 p. m. the following bulletin on General Alger's condition was issued:

"Temperature normal. Pulse 74. Only slight nausea following the anesthetics. All the symptoms are favorable.

"H. W. Longyear, M. D.
"C. G. Jennings, M. D."

Dr. Longyear, who will spend the night with General Alger, said at that hour that there would be no more bulletins issued tonight unless an entirely unanticipated change should occur.

"General Alger is in no immediate danger," said he, "although his condition is serious. His chances of recovery are very fair."

Discussing the operation tonight, Dr. Jennings, who is the physician in charge of the case, said that while it was gall stones that had made the operation necessary, it was not performed for their removal.

"The operation," he said, "was performed for the purpose of opening and draining the gall bladder which had become infected because of the stones."

TERRIBLE FIRE IN MEXICO BURNED MANY TO DEATH

San Antonio, Texas, Dec. 22. A report has just reached here of a terrible fire in the city of Zacatecas, in the Mexican state of the same name in which many lives were lost. The fire was in the principal market building, owned by the city. The lower floor of the building contained a large number of cellars and segregating compartments which were stocked with goods for city consumption. The fire broke out in the cellars and when discovered had made considerable headway. In order to save as much of the meat stored in the cellars as possible, a large force of men were employed by the authorities into the burning structure and while this work was working, the flames burned their way to the top of the market, completely enveloping it. The fire department was unable to check the progress of the fire and after burning several hours the building collapsed, the crumbling walls burying a large number of the men in the cellars under the ruins.

Just how many were killed, is not known, but the loss of life is said to be appalling. Latest advices from Zacatecas state that 15 bodies had been taken from the ruins while if is believed many are still under the wrecked walls. The market building was one of the finest structures ever constructed in the republic and was a source of great revenue to the city. There is no hope that any of the bodies under the ruins are alive. How the fire originated is not known.

MITCHELL ON HARMONY OF CAPITAL AND LABOR

By Associated Press.

Indianapolis, Dec. 22. John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America, who has just returned from Europe, where he attended the arbitration meeting called by the National Civic Federation at New York, said:

"I regard that meeting as the greatest step toward harmonizing labor and capital that has ever been taken in America. There is no doubt in my mind as to the feasibility of their plan. I have no doubt that it will bear fruit. When such men as Senator Hanna and Mr. Schwab meet the labor leaders of the country in an effort to bring about means for a compromise it shows a good feeling on the part of capital for labor."

Asked his opinion concerning the present shortage of coal throughout the country Mr. Mitchell said:

"The shortage is largely, in fact, almost entirely, due to the lack of means for transporting the coal from the mines. It is impossible to get cars. The great activities in other branches of industry this fall have taken the cars in other lines of work. As soon as a sufficient number of cars can be regularly secured coal will be plentiful."

ALL THE NEWS

Forecast for Colorado: Fair Monday and Tuesday; colder Monday, in eastern portion, westerly winds.

LOCAL

STATE

In case of people vs. Reddish, in Cripple Creek, defendant was acquitted of charge of malicious mischief for "piling" a form.

George Tebeau has sold his baseball interests in Denver to A. B. Beal of Minneapolis, a member of the circuit committee of the Western league.

Pueblo telephone wires will probably soon be put underground.

Work on the new stock yards for Pueblo will be commenced within a month.

Russell Harding of the Missouri Pacific intimates that his road has extensive interests in the building up of Pueblo by increase of transportation facilities and establishment of new enterprises.

GENERAL

Two people were burned to death and four injured in sweat shop fire in New York city.

A serious operation has been performed on Gen. Russell A. Alger. He is reported as having stood it well, however.

Lawyer Alexander Sullivan of Chicago was convicted for conspiracy to abet a fugitive from justice. The charge grew out of jury bribing scandals involving Chicago courts.

Mrs. Grace Powell of Vancouver, B. C., has been missing for three days and is supposed to have been murdered.

Chinese of southern provinces are said to be devising means for obtaining admittance of Chinamen to this country under exempt class of merchants.

Railway ticket forgers are said to have worked western railroads for thousands of dollars by use of conductors' train checks and other means.

Justice McAdam of the supreme court of New York is dead at the age of 63.

Senator Chauncey M. Depew's wedding day has now been fixed for December 28, at Nice.

John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers says the recent arbitration meeting in New York was the greatest step ever taken in America towards harmonizing labor and capital.

Senator Depew says that if Hutin had offered the Panama Canal company's interests for $40,000,000, the United States would probably have bought the property.

Nuc Zu Ga, the oldest Indian squaw in the United States, died yesterday, aged 128.

Policeman George Hanlon of Louisville, was found guilty of the murder of Police Corporal Fred Richterkessing and sentenced to life imprisonment.

The United States battleship Indiana left Jamaica yesterday for La Guayara, Venezuela.

Lieutenant Governor Higgins of Montana and his brother, Arthur Higgins, were acquitted of a charge of assault preferred by Theodore Blockley, waylaid and thrashed by state officers about a week ago.

Although Governor Crane of Massachusetts has dispatched to the president his decision concerning the secretaryship of the treasury, his attitude toward acceptance has not been made public.

Gen. George W. Davis has requested that the province of Misamis, Mindanao, be again placed under military control. There is proof of treason in furnishing ammunition to the insurgents.

FOREIGN

The London stock market during the past week was more cheerful, the belief being that the South African war is really drawing to a close.

President Loubet unveiled a statue to the memory of Deputy Charles Baudin, the people's representative, who died for 25 francs a day.

Argentina has resolved to recall Senor Portela, her minister to Chile. The people are preparing for war, while the Chilean police remains indifferent to Portela's retirement.

Fire in Zacatecas, Mexico, burned the principal market building owned by the city and caused fearful loss of life.

Action of King Edward has caused consternation among duchesses, who are forced to make changes in coronation robes.

STILL NEGOTIATING

By Associated Press.

Constantinople, Dec. 22.—W. W. Peet, treasurer of the Turkish mission in Constantinople, and M. Guigario, dragoman of the United States legation here, are still at Salonica endeavoring to open negotiations with the brigands who hold captive Miss Ellen M. Stone and to fix a tendezvous with them.

ENCOUNTERS WITH INSURGENT TROOPS

By Associated Press.

Manila, Dec. 22. Captain John S. Parke, Jr., with 30 men of the 21st infantry, encountered 60 insurgents last week in Alaminos, in Laguna province. Four of the enemy were killed, several guns were captured and their barracks was destroyed.

General Bell, who is in command of the American forces in Batangas province, Luzon, has praised Lieutenant James D. Tilford, who, while scouting with Troop D of the First cavalry, routed an insurgent force in that province. Lieutenant Tilford located a rebel stronghold on top of a hill near the town of Batangas. He surrounded the enemy under cover of night and attacked them at daylight. Their surprise was complete. Nineteen insurgents were killed while attempting to escape. Lieutenant Tilford captured 16 rifles and 500 rounds of ammunition.

A detachment of scouts of the Second infantry also had a small engagement with the insurgents in which they killed nine men and captured four.

Lieutenant John D. Hartman of the First cavalry, during an expedition encountered the enemy six separate times without losing one of his men. He destroyed several barracks.

Two priests have been arrested in Batangas province. They were found to have hidden behind the altar of their church appliances for counterfeiting money. They are charged with manufacturing silver dollars to pay the insurgent soldiers.

MINISTERS WILL BANQUET TODAY

The Ministers' union will hold its regular monthly banquet at the Alta Vista today. The minsters will meet at noon and listen to a paper which will be read by Rev. Benjamin Brewster.

The dinner will be served at 1:30 o'clock. All visiting and retired ministers are invited to attend the meeting and banquet.

DISCUSSED THE TREATY

By Associated Press.

Peking, Dec. 22.—The first discussion of the Manchurian treaty, between Paul Lessar, the Russian minister here, and the Chinese plenipotentiaries, Prince Ching and Wang Wen Shao, occurred here yesterday. Prince Ching and Wang Wen Shao displayed much less compliance with the Russian policy than had the late Li Hung Chang. They urged the following substantial modifications:

First—The stipulation of an early date for the withdrawal of all Russian troops from Manchuria except the railway guard, the number of which should be limited.

Second—They opposed the paragraph restraining China from increasing the number of her troops in Manchuria without consulting Russia, contending that China must be at liberty to maintain whatever force was necessary in Manchuria to preserve order there.

Third—They request that an early date be fixed for restoring the Newchwang-shang-hai-kwan railway and a considerable reduction of the indemnity claimed by the Russians for repairing and maintaining the railway.

Fourth—The Chinese plenipotentiaries opposed giving Russia a monopoly of future mining concessions in Manchuria.

Prince Ching has received a long telegram from Chang Chi Tung, viceroy of Han-kow, exhorting him to maintain the sovereignty of China in Manchuria.

RAILWAY TICKET FORGERS WORKED WESTERN ROADS

By Associated Press.

Kansas City, Dec. 22. A gang of forgers of railroad tickets has been operating in Kansas City successfully during the last few weeks, according to H. C. Townsend of St. Louis, general passenger agent of the Missouri Pacific railway, who has been in the city investigating the fraud with the aid of George H. Foote, secretary of the local passenger bureau, and J. C. Stewart, general southwestern passenger agent of the Rock Island. Mr. Townsend said of the frauds:

"The losses of the western railroads will amount to thousands of dollars. There have been three classes of forgeries. Some days ago Mr. Foote discovered that a bogus perforating stamp had been used to imitate the stamp that is used to mark tickets at the Union depot. The forgers tried in Chicago to buy a stamp exactly like the one that is used at the Kansas City Union depot to stamp return ticket coupons, but the manufacturers suspected something was wrong and refused to sell it. The forgers were not baffled. They bought a stamp that is used in banks for perforating checks, changed the dies from 'paid' to 'K. C. U. D.' and have used it on many forged tickets.

"The second class of forgeries included conductors' train checks. The bogus ones are fairly good imitations of the genuine ones, but they have smooth edges instead of perforations. Wholesale frauds have been committed by using forged live stock contracts, which are exchanged for tickets. We have no means of knowing how many bogus live stock contracts and conductors' train checks have been used. I know that hundreds of fraudulent contracts were printed here in Kansas City. We have evidence to show that a Kansas City ticket broker knows something about the forgeries. We have engaged an additional force of detectives and hereafter conductors will watch carefully for forgeries. The Missouri Pacific has suffered severe losses, but our road is only one of many that has been defrauded."

Dozens of the forged tickets have, it is said, been secured by the railway officials.

No Compromise in the Rate War

The report in a Denver paper yesterday morning that a meeting was to be held last night at which a compromise was to be effected between the Midland interests and the Short Line in the Cripple Creek rate war, proved to be unfounded. The statement was made that the officials were to hold a conference at the Brown hotel in Denver. No such conference was held, and last night an official of the Short Line said there was none contemplated.

The only Short Line representative in Denver last night was S. J. Henry, the traffic manager. He told a Gazette representative that there was absolutely no truth in the printed report.

"The Short Line knows nothing of a compromise," said Mr. Henry, "and is not seeking one. There is absolutely no change in the situation, and none is contemplated as far as I know. I have been in Denver visiting friends and have not conferred with any Midland officials."

THE FUNERAL OF JOHN C. SELLARS

The funeral of John C. Sellars, a pioneer of Colorado and a veteran of the civil war, who died last Friday at Castle Rock, was held in this city yesterday afternoon. Services were held at Fairley's undertaking establishment and at Evergreen cemetery. Post No. 22, G. A. R., of which Mr. Sellars was a member, had charge of the services at the grave.

John W. Chapman, one of Mr. Sellars' old friends, paid the following tribute to the pioneer last night:

"Mr. Sellars was one of the pioneers of Colorado, having come to Denver in the year of 1855. He settled in Douglas county where he was justice of the peace for many years. He was also postmaster at Castle Rock. He came to Colorado Springs in 1884 where he entered in the business of gardener three miles south of the city. He was elected justice of the peace in Colorado Springs four years ago, but owing to an attack of paralysis he never qualified. He also was a veteran of the civil war, having served as a private in the ninth Missouri cavalry. He was a poor man but a loyal citizen, a fond and loving father and a true neighbor. His wife was a sister of my beloved wife who died in 1898."

HOW THE MISTLETOE COMES TO BE.

The Seeds Stick to the Birds' Bills, and They Wipe Them Off on the Tree-Branches.

The story of how the mistletoe gets on the trees is a most interesting one. Covering the mistletoe twigs are pearly white berries. These come in the winter season, when food is comparatively scarce, and hence some of our birds eat them freely. Now when a robin eats a cherry he swallows simply the meat and flips the stone away. The seed of the mistletoe the bird cannot flip. It is sticky and holds to his bill. His only resource is to wipe it off, and he does so, leaving it sticking to the branches of the tree on which he is sitting at the time. This seed sprouts after a time, and not finding earth—which indeed its ancestral habit has made it cease wanting—it sinks its roots into the bark of the tree and hunts there for the pipes that carry the sap. Now the sap in the bark is the very richest in the tree, far richer than that in the wood, and the mistletoe gets from its host the choicest of food. With a strange foresight it does not throw its leaves away, as do most parasites, but keeps them to use in winter, when the tree is leafless. (Professor S. C. Schmucker, in the December Ladies' Home Journal.

A UNIQUE CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT

In Which "Miss Celery" May Dance With "Mr. Cabbage-Head" and Other Vegetables.

Some merry girls gave an entertainment last Christmas which was unique only in its adaptation. The invitations were for "A Christmas Dance," and all were asked to come in costumes representing fruits and vegetables. The rooms were decorated for a barn dance, the mantels and corners banked with celery, cranberries, holly and bunches of yellow maize made from crepe paper. When the guests arrived the rooms looked like an animated kitchen garden. One girl was lovely in pale green cheesecloth abundantly trimmed with celery leaves. Another was a veritable Ceres in corn color and masses of wheat and poppies. The men wore enormous boutonnieres of celery tops, carrots and parsley. Their grotesque appearance seemed to inspire a certain humorous contagion to their spirits, and the affair was universally conceded to have been a great success.—(December Ladies' Home Journal.

A Tale Almost Too Good to Be True.

During the blizzard of '99 I started one day from the central office of the Bureau of Charities to distribute money to some cases reported for instant relief. In an attic I found a poor widow, a seamstress, with one child, a boy of six. The room was cold and bare; there was no fire, the windows were loose, and snow lay upon the floor. The boy had been kept in bed for two days to keep warm. I asked the usual questions and gave the woman two dollars. All this before I discovered the boy. Suddenly his head bobbed from beneath the bed-clothes, and at sight of the two bills his eyes became moons. "Gee-e-e, Mister! All that for us? Then we can give some to Ted Burns' mother downstairs to buy coal. Can't we, Mom?"—(The Rev. David M. Steele, in The Ladies' Home Journal for December.

The Way to Overcome Fear of Darkness.

Ask yourself if it is a tangible danger you fear, or if it is simply night itself. Sleep in either case with a low shaded light in your room. Satisfy your mind that you have no reason to be afraid, by that investigation of closets and the limbo under the bed at which the brave are inclined to laugh. Exert your will to conquer this bondage, and also say your prayers and take comfort in knowing that God hears you. The darkness and the light are both alike to him.—(Margaret E. Sangster, in the December Ladies' Home Journal.

The Self-Sacrifice of a Poor, Little Girl.

"We had on our Parish Poor List a year ago the names of 'Matilda and Father,' whose rent we were paying," writes the Rev. David M. Steele in telling of New York's poor, in the December Ladies' Home Journal. "They had been happy and prosperous once, but through hard luck and ill health the man had grown poor and morbid, and 'Tillie,' who had suffered from sunstroke, was a simple, gentle slave to her love for her father. Two weeks before his death he had a stroke of paralysis, and she came to me for some 'emergency relief.' I gave her two dollars, of which she gave back one, insisting that I 'keep it till she needed it.' After two days she came back, bringing along a memorandum of the items for which she had spent the money. It read:

"For 'Poppa:'

Port wine	$ .60
Beef tea	.30
"For Self:"	
An egg	$ .02
Potatoes	.03
A soup bone	.05
Total	$1.00"

Tobacco Is the Best Insecticide.

Most of the insects common to house plants dislike tobacco as much as does the cleanly housewife. The best way to use it as an insecticide upon window plants is to secure a good handful of tobacco stems, place them in an old basin, pour boiling water upon them and let them stand for several hours. Then drain off the liquid into a basin or tub deep enough for immersing the tops of your plants in, and dilute it with warm water, until it shows only a faint tint of brown. Then take up the plants one at a time, and hold them, tops down, in the water, washing them clean.—(December Ladies' Home Journal.

25c One Way, 40c Round Trip.
5-day limit to Cripple Creek via Colorado Midland Railway.

ORDERED OUT OF TURKEY

Naturalized Americans Have Been Ordered to Leave Within Fifteen Days.

By Associated Press.

Constantinople, Dec. 22. The authorities at Beyrout, Syria, have notified naturalized American citizens that they must renounce their naturalization within 15 days, otherwise they will be expelled from Turkey. Spencer Eddy, first secretary of legation at Constantinople, has made an energetic protest in the matter. He has written the Turkish authorities demanding the withdrawal of the measure. The incident may become serious, owing to the absence of a naturalization treaty.

A CHINESE TRUST TO OUTWIT GARY

By Associated Press.

Port Townsend, Wash., Dec. 22.—Information has been received here by members of the local Chinese colony to the effect that a large number of stock companies are being organized in the southern provinces of China with a capital of $1,000,000 and upwards, and stock to the amount of $500 will be issued to Chinese coming to America so that they can show upon being examined by the customs officials at the port of entry that they belong to the exempt class of merchants. This action is said to be the result of the agitation for a more stringent exclusion law at the expiration of the present law next May.

OFFICIAL ANXIETY ABOUT MR. MARCONI

By Associated Press.

St. John's, N. F., Dec. 22. Mr. Marconi today received a second cablegram from the Canadian minister of finance, Mr. Fielding, inquiring when the inventor would leave for Canada in order to arrange that some official of the Canadian government might meet him at Sydney, N. S.

There is no development today in the difficulty between Marconi and the Anglo-American Telegraph company.

Marconi expects to reach Ottawa next Sunday and to remain there about one week.

THE "WHITE WINGS" DID GROW WEARY

By Associated Press.

Denver, Dec. 22.—A. B. Beal of Minneapolis, a member of the circuit committee of the Western Baseball league, has bought from George Tebeau his interest in the Denver franchise and his improvements at Broadway park. Mr. Tebeau says he will now devote his entire attention to the management of his Kansas City team, and the building up of the American association of which it is a member. He has signed Gus Dundon, third baseman of the Denver nine last year, for Kansas City.

SENATOR SEWALL IS SLIGHTLY IMPROVED

By Associated Press.

Camden, N. J., Dec. 22. United States Senator William J. Sewall continues to rest comfortably at his home in this city. His physicians say that he shows a slight improvement and that he is able to take considerable nourishment. He appears to be in better condition than he has been during the past few days.

JUSTICE DAVID M'ADAM

By Associated Press.

New York, Dec. 22. Justice David McAdam, aged 63, of the supreme court of the state, died today at a private sanitarium in this city, from cancer of the tongue. A widow and four sons survive him. His term of office would have expired December 31, 1904. Justice McAdam was the author of many legal works.

FATHER AND SON SHOT IN FAMILY QUARREL

By Associated Press.

Huntington, W. Va., Dec. 22. During a family quarrel in Central City today William Lafferty was shot and seriously wounded by his son, Burt Lafferty. After being injured the father seized a shotgun and shot and fatally wounded the son. Rebecca Lafferty, the daughter, interrupted the father when he turned and fired at her, inflicting a serious wound. Lafferty was overpowered and placed in jail.

BATTLESHIP INDIANA GOES TO VENEZUELA

By Associated Press.

Kingston, Jamaica, Dec. 22. The United States battleship Indiana left here this morning for La Guayara, Venezuela. The German training ship Moltke is now here.

SECRETARY LONG AGAIN DENIES RESIGNING

By Associated Press.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 22.—Secretary Long's attention having been called again tonight to reports that he contemplated resigning from the cabinet he again authorized an emphatic statement that such was not the case. He said there was not a word of truth in the report and that he had not the slightest intention of resigning.

WITHDRAWAL OF MINISTER

Resolution of Argentina to Recall Senor Portela from Chile.

TO BE APPROVED BY MITRE

President of Boundary Commission--People Are Making Preparations for War.

Buenos Ayres, Dec. 22. General Mitre, president of the boundary commission and former president of Argentina, will approve the resolution of the Argentine government to withdraw Senor Portela, the Argentine minister to Chile.

The people are flocking to the public rifle ranges. Each citizen is allowed to shoot 35 cartridges from a Mauser rifle, gratis.

"Foreign legions" of soldiers are being organized.

The Buenos Ayres Herald expresses its approval of the recall of the Argentine minister to Chile. The paper does not believe this step necessarily means war. It says, however, that the Argentine government could not have followed a more dignified course of action. The Herald speaks glowingly of the power and present state of organization of the Argentine navy.

Senor Concha Subercaseaux, the Chilean minister here, had a conference yesterday evening with General Roca, president of Argentine.

General Roca's demeanor to the Chilean minister was cold and he spoke with energy. The conference became a little violent in character. General Roca severely criticized the proceedings of the Chilean administration.

Valparaiso, Dec. 22. (Via Galveston). Senor Portela, Argentine minister to Chile will leave here Wednesday for Buenos Ayres. The pending negotiations between Argentina and Chile will be transferred to Buenos Ayres. The retirement of Senor Portela has been accepted by the public with great indifference. Perfect tranquility continues here.

Valparaiso, Dec. 22. A proclamation was read today throughout Chile calling out another contingent of the national guard.

STATUE FOR FRENCHMAN WHO DIED FOR REPUBLIC

By Associated Press.

Paris, Dec. 22. President Loubet inaugurated today in the Fauborg St. Antoine a statue to the memory of Deputy Charles Baudin, a representative of the people who was killed on the barricade of the Fauborg St. Antoine, December 3, 1851, the day following the coup d'etat of Louis Napoleon.

Baudin was memorable for the reply he gave to the workman who refused to defend the barricade. To this man Baudin said:

"You will see how a representative of the people can die for 25 francs a day."

He then mounted the barricade. The soldiers fired a volley and Baudin fell dead.

There was considerable apprehension of disturbance at today's inauguration, owing to the insistence of the Nationalist president of the municipal council of Paris, M. Daussett, that he be permitted to deliver a speech at the inauguration, although he was not included in the official list of speakers. The ceremony has already been once postponed on account of the attitude of M. Daussett.

The Socialists planned a counter demonstration to the unveiling today. They gathered in the Fauborg, wearing red flowers in their buttonholes as a party emblem. Owing to the strong precautions taken by the police, however, no serious disturbance occurred, although M. Daussett and some of his colleagues of the municipal council had a narrow escape from rough handling. There were several slight conflicts between Nationalists and Socialists. All the French ministers were present at the unveiling of the statue. President Loubet, M. Faulliers, president of the senate, Paul Deschanel, president of chamber of deputies, and M. Waldeck-Rousseau, the premier, made speeches in which they eulogized the resistence offered by Baudin and his colleagues to the coup d'etat holding that up as an example of the future. President Loubet said he desired to associate himself publicly with the glorification of this victim of devotion to the republic, against which the chief executive had committed such an odious outrage. He said he himself had accepted conscientious engagements before the National assembly which he would never violate and that any Caesarian enterprise would fail in face of the vigilance of the government and the union of the Republicans.

This declaration elicited cheers from the assemblage and cries of "Vive Loubet" and "Vive la Republique."

The official party was driving away when M. Daussett, surrounded by his friends, approached the statue and delivered a short oration in which he declared that he took over the statue in the name of the city of Paris. His words were drowned by outcries from the Socialists. M. Daussett had to be escorted by the police back to the town hall. He progressed amid shouts and counter shouts of "Down with Daussett," "Down with the Nationalists," while the Nationalists sang the "Carmagnole."

Many persons were arrested, but were subsequently released.

FOUR LIVES WERE LOST IN PENNSYLVANIA FIRE

Dubois, Pa., Dec. 22. Near Summerville, yesterday the home of John Ashbaugh, a farmer, was destroyed by fire and four persons were burned to death. One other is burned in such a manner that recovery is doubtful and four others are seriously burned and injured.

The dead:

WILLIAM ASHBAUGH, 22 years old; a brother of the owner of the Ashbaugh home.

MABEL ASHBAUGH, aged 12.

HARRY ASHBAUGH, aged 10.

JAMES ASHBAUGH, aged 9.

The injured Herman Ashbaugh, burned seriously, leg broken and injured internally; John Ashbaugh, the husband and father, burned seriously and suffering from exposure; two young children, painfully burned.

The affair happened at an early hour in the morning and the fire was undoubtedly caused by an overheated stove.

Mr. Ashbaugh was awakened by smoke entering the room he occupied and found the lower part of the house ablaze. He made his way outside with his two smallest children and hurried back to look for his wife, brother and four other children who were still in the house. He succeeded in reaching a room that had been occupied by the children, but only one, the 18-year old boy, Herman, was there. Ashbaugh could hear the screams of the three others in another room but he could not reach them. The flames were so fierce he was compelled to fight his way from the house. Meantime Mrs. Ashbaugh had jumped from an upper story window and was lying on the ground with a broken leg and suffering from internal injuries and burns.

Reports from the injured persons tonight say Mr. and Mrs. Ashbaugh and the two youngest children are expected to recover, but the condition of the boy Herman is still critical.

John Griffith Has a Jungle book Dream

"Big John" Griffith, the genial passenger business agent of the Manitou & Pike's Peak Cog road, who is also proprietor of a curio store in Manitou, has taken his wonderful narrative powers with him in his present trip into the southwest. Those who know him well will be considerably interested in the following thrilling story:

"To spend one's time traveling among the most uncivilized of the American Indians, looking for baskets and blankets, would not appeal to many men; more especially if they should have to do that all the time, mostly alone, and with a pack train and only the mules, stray tarantulas, centipedes and hydrophobia skunks as companions," said J. H. Griffith, of Colorado Springs, to a Herald man today. Mr. Griffith is one of the owners of the Pike's Peak railroad, is interested in mining, and as a diversion carries a large line of curio goods for sale in his store at Colorado Springs, for the benefit of the many travelers who go to that place. His stock of curios, blankets, baskets and other specimens of Indian work, is secured from the Indians in New Mexico and Arizona. In order to secure these he employs men to make long trips through the deserts, the wastes, and the mountains and across trackless reservations to the camps of the Indians where they call upon them in their villages, talk to them in their own language, thus being able to get the very latest and perhaps the only true, characteristic Indian work that is left in the United States.

Mr. Griffith decided some time ago that he would make one of these trips himself, just for the fun of the thing and has just returned from the same. He has a great deal to say about the trip, but says one is enough for him. He has been out several weeks, during which time he was among the Mohaves and the Navajoes and brings back quite a collection of curios. In speaking of the Mohave Indians Mr. Griffith said: "They make the finest of pottery and baskets. The baskets are made of tula, or a sort of cattail and of willow. For the white color they use cat's claw and for the black they use devil's claw, while mesquite furnishes the red color."

"But this country which I have been over is tough," continued Mr. Griffith. "Why, the animals will eat you up. Tarantulas, centipedes, spiders and the like are too numerous to mention, and they get in everywhere. The hydrophobia skunk, a little fellow whose bite invariably drives one mad, is the worst pest of them all. They can be kept out by stretching a canvass around the camp, but that don't bother the tarantulas a bit, for you can't keep them away from you nor can you keep away from them. They tell me that that is what prevents the opening of the country and I don't know of a better reason myself."

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NEWS NOTES FROM DENVER

W. K. Zimmerman Gives Novel Defense to Charge of Misappropriating Funds.

CORPORATION FEE NOT PAID

One Hundred Pounds of Sugar Refined at the Loveland Factory Brought $3.300.

Denver Bureau
Colorado Springs Gazette

Denver, Dec. 22.—The Christmas increase in mail is already being felt at the Denver office. Last night a train from the east brought in one car completely filled with packages for Denver. This morning early visitors to the depot were surprised to see a two-horse dray load of parcels being loaded into one car. So far the office has kept up with the work. This promises to be the largest Christmas in the history of the Denver office.

The Artist club of this city has elected the following officers: Henry Read, president; William H. Smiley, vice president; Edward Ring, treasurer; W. W. Strickland, secretary; council, executive officers, ex-officio and Charles Partridge Adams, Charles M. Carter, Elizabeth Spaulding, Annie Evans; associate members, Charles M. Hobbs, William Shaw Ward and Fred H. Randall.

W. K. Zimmerman, who is charged with having appropriated several hundred dollars belonging to the Ballwood Cash Register company of which he was the local agent, has entered a novel defense.

When the case was called he made the plea that the company had not paid its corporation fee for 1901, and according to the provisions of the new revenue law is not in legal existence, therefore cannot, as a corporation, bring suit against him to collect the money, nor can the company appear against him in a case of prosecution. This is the first time this question has ever been raised in the courts, and it so surprised the state and corporation attorneys that time was asked for and granted in which to look up the law. The position as held by Zimmerman, is the same as has been held by Attorney-Gengral Post for some time. It is claimed that if upheld it leaves the way open for embezzlement without punishment in all cases where the corporation fees are not paid. Zimmerman does not use this as his only defense. He claims the money he retained was his commission.

Secretary Whitehead of the Colorado Humane society is trying to arrange for a suitable place for poor mothers to leave their children during the day when they are away at work. He thinks such a place would be a great help to the mothers who are compelled to work.

A number of the owners of buildings where gambling is being carried on, have become alarmed at the campaign now being waged and have ordered the gamblers to move out. It is said another batch of indictments will be handed out tomorrow.

Yesterday was a great day at Loveland. The first 300 pounds of sugar refined at the Loveland factory was sold. It brought $3.300. The sugar was put up in one pound glass jars and each auctioned off. The first pound was purchased by R. S. Cox for $225. The other 299 pounds sold all the way from $10 to $200 per pound. The sack brought $10 and string $1.

Six thousand acres of sugar beets were raised last year and already 11,000 have been contracted for next year.

William Berryman, a miner in the Bobtail mine at Black Hawk, was instantly killed by a rock slide yesterday evening. He leaves a wife and three children.

WOODS CO. OFFICERS TO BE IN THIS CITY

Special to the Gazette.

Victor, Colo., Dec. 22.—The offices of the Woods Investment Co. will be in Colorado Springs after the first of the year. The company has secured a suite of 11 rooms on the fourth floor of the new Stratton building in that city and it is expected that they will be fitted up by the first of January. At present and for several years past the company has had its office in this city and has maintained a branch office in Colorado Springs. In the new offices in the Stratton building one room is being fitted up for the handsome mineral exhibit of the company which has been on exhibition at the Buffalo exposition.

GRAND JUNCTION

Special to the Gazette.

Grand Junction, Dec. 22. The Colorado College Glee and Mandolin club of Colorado Springs will give an entertainment at the Park opera house on Christmas night. This is one of the most popular organizations in the state and a rare treat is in store for Grand Junction people.

John D. Hoover, a former merchant of Grand Junction, is visiting relatives in the city. Since leaving here Mr. Hoover has been teaching physical culture in San Francisco and has made a wonderful success.

The news of the reappointment of Edwin Price as postmaster of Grand Junction was hailed with delight by his host of friends.

The Woman's club will give a carom tournament at the home of Mrs. W. B. Stanley Tuesday evening.

Miss Dorothy Hensley of Denver is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Ramsey. Miss Hensley will be the maid of honor at the wedding of Miss Cornelia Ramsey on Christmas day, when she will be united in marriage to Walter Powers.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Ellis of Ogden, Utah, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McCulloch. Mr. Ellis is county recorder of Weber county.

Will Warner of Colorado Springs is spending the holiday week with his brother, Dr. George E. Warner.

The father, mother and sister of Charles H. Arthur, the druggist, are his guests during the holiday season. They come 18 at Webster City, Ia.

Dr. W. Capps has gone to southern California for the winter, leaving his office in charge of Dr. P. P. Collins of Silver Cliff.

David Roberts, president of the Grand Junction flouring mill, is spending the holidays with his family in St. Louis.

Charles L. Currier and wife of Yonkers, N. Y., are guests of his parents, who reside north of this city.

J. F. McFarland, manager of the Colorado Sugar Manufacturing company, is in New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ramsey, who have spent the past summer and fall at Lake City, have returned to this city to reside.

W. E. Phillips of the Plateau valley will be the deputy county assessor under Daniel Bradburn, the newly elected county assessor.

The appointment of John H. Gallup as deputy treasurer by George J. D. Williams gives general satisfaction among the Republicans. "Jack" Gallupe is one of the best known young men in the city. He is well qualified to fill the position. Mr. Gallupe has held a position as one of the clerks at the Union depot for the past several years.

CRIPPLE CREEK NEWS NOTES

Reddish Acquitted of Charge of Maliciously "Pleing" Form—Marriage Announcements.

Cripple Creek Bureau
Colorado Springs Gazette

Cripple Creek, Dec. 22.—The announcement has been made of the approaching marriage of two popular young couples of the camp. On Tuesday at Colorado Springs, John P. Kerlf, the well-known broker of this city will be married to Mrs. Sadie G. Sardy of Chicago. At the Presbyterian church of Cameron on New Year day Mr. W. J. Eldred will be united in marriage to Miss Mary N. Rudolph. Mr. and Mrs. Eldred will be at home in this city after February 1, 1902.

The case of the People vs. Reddish, charged with malicious mischief, was tried last evening before Justice McCullah and the defendant found not guilty. The complaining witness in the case was Editor McGovern, the proprietor of the Teller County Democrat. The editor alleged that Reddish maliciously "pied" a form of his paper but the jury, after hearing the testimony decided that the accident happened through unskillful handling of the form and Mr. Reddish was discharged.

The funeral services over the remains of Helen, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Graham, were held this afternoon at the residence, No. 319 West El Paso avenue. The Woodmen of the World, of which Mr. Graham is a member, attended the services in a body. The remains were laid to rest at Mt. Pisgah cemetery.

Out of town arrivals at the National hotel today were George N. Spencer, F. L. Butterfield, Louis Curtis, J. H. Aist and wife and son and C. W. Redding of Denver; J. A. Elston of Colorado Springs; John A. Rogers and W. H. Loots of Kansas City; E. M. Lang of Elmira, N. Y.

NEWS NOTES FROM PUEBLO

Valuable Ore Arrived From the Modoc—Railroads Will Develop City's Interests

Pueblo Bureau
Colorado Springs Gazette

Pueblo, Dec. 22. A man by the name of Tilbourn, dropped dead in Craig & Morin's saloon this morning. At one time he was a prominent business man of this city, engaged in the upholstering and carpet business. But for the last few months he has been drinking heavily and his debauches ended in his death.

Thomas Hext of Colorado Springs, was registered at the Maine today.

Two reliable men from the Modoc mine arrived in Pueblo last night with a batch of ore in special car, valued at $30,000. The men were heavily armed and went with the car to the smelter at once. Then afterwards returned to this city and laid aside their weapons.

Three prominent steel works employes left last night for Illinois to bring brides home with them before New Year day.

E. J. Burns, assistant roller in the rail mill, goes to Chicago, his old home, to visit his parents. From there he will go to Joliet, where he will meet Miss Maggie Leacke of Schenectady, Ill., and they will be married some time this week.

Joseph McCauley, rail straightener, goes direct to Joliet, where he will wed Miss Annie McAvoy of that city.

J. B. Monahan, superintendent of the iron side, also left last night for Joliet, where he will claim Miss Annie Kelley as his bride.

Watson E. Coleman, formerly of Washington, D. C., has arrived in Pueblo for the purpose of making this his future home. He has offices with former Attorney General D. M. Campbell at rooms 123 and 124 Central block, for the general practice of law. Mr. Coleman was for some years private secretary to Congressman John C. Bell. He first came to Colorado in 1887 and associated in Denver with the Hon. Henry W. Hobson and the Hon. Lafe Pence. In 1893 he went to Washington as private secretary to Congressman Pence and while there opened a law office and practiced in association with Duane L. Fox, one of the leading attorneys of that city. Mr. Coleman is a graduate of the law department of Georgetown university, of the District of Columbia.

J. A. McDowell, a prominent stone dealer of Fort Collins, is here in connection with quarry business.

J. F. Benedict, a prominent business man of Denver, is at the Southern.

Mrs. E. McDaniel of Prescott, Ariz., dropped off here to see friends last night, en route to Durango to spend Christmas with relatives.

C. A. Fairbank, of the "A Lion's Heart" company, is at the Southern hotel.

Walter McNett came in yesterday from Ottumwa, Iowa, where he has been on a visit, and left last night for Gallup, Ariz., staying at home only a few hours.

S. B. Stanfield, who is interested in various mining properties in Custer, has just returned from Warren, Pa., where he has sold an interest in the Spring Hill lode, situated 10 miles east of Silver Cliff, at a satisfactory figure. He also made arrangements for $50,000 for the early development of the Huntsman lode, near the Spring Hill lode and adjoining the Samson property owned by himself and other citizens of Pueblo. The new company is called the Keystone Mining company and the ore in its mine runs 12 per cent. copper. One of the stockholders is an inventor and manufacturer of gas engines and appliances and will soon visit Pueblo with a view of establishing a factory here.

Thos. Hampton has gone to Austin, Texas, where he will shortly be married, returning soon to Pueblo with his bride.

J. M. Ellison, general agent for the Denver & Rio Grande railroad, with headquarters at Colorado Springs, is in town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Grey of the Hotel Maine, went to Denver last night.

E. C. Glenn has gone to Colorado Springs.

Jas. Massey has gone to Harding, Mo.

C. N. Fleck left today for Chicago.

L. W. Smith arrived from the state university yesterday to spend the holidays with his brother, L. J. Smith, of Vineland.

The many friends of Mayor West will be pleased to hear that his physicians have pronounced him out of danger and expect to have him out within a week.

Mrs. Dr. Long of Illinois, arrived in the city yesterday and will spend the winter with her nephew and neice, Mr. and Mrs. Hull of Block H.

Manager Seelye of the Colorado Telephone company, has returned from a visit to Denver and he announces that one of the strong probabilities of the near future is underground telephone wires in Pueblo. Mr. Seelye says he has asked his company for an appropriation of $50,000 to do the work and that he expects about $30,000. While this sum is not much, considering the vast amount of work, it will put the greater part of the downtown wires beneath the surface of the ground. This much will very likely be done during the coming year. There is a possibility that the city will cause the telegraph companies also to put their wires underground, following the example of the telephone company.

Within a month work will be commenced on the new stock yards planned for the east side and by May 1 they will be ready for business. It is expected that about 25 acres will be used for stalls, pens and buildings and the remainder of the 43 acres owned by the company will be used for additional buildings as the increase in business justifies.

General Manager Russell Harding of the Missouri Pacific road is authority for these statements which he gave out after having been in conference with M. Douthitt, general live stock agent for the Missouri Pacific, who will take an active part in the management of the new yards and who has been largely instrumental in securing them for Pueblo. Mr. Douthitt reached the city yesterday morning bringing with him a general outline of the plans for the new yards. Upon his arrival Mr. Harding and Manager Herbert of the D. & R. G. accompanied him in Mr. Harding's private car to the site of the new yards, where the ground was gone over thoroughly, a general idea of the new trackage necessary secured and an understanding reached as to the extent and location of the buildings.

In an interview Mr. Harding stated that there were yet some details to be arranged and that the plans in hand were not entirely completed. He said, however, that Pueblo people could rest assured that the yards would be the most modern and convenient that could be built, embracing all the latest ideas and improvements in stock yard construction. No expense will be spared to make them the best in the west.

Mr. Harding was asked what other plans the Missouri Pacific officials had in mind for Pueblo, but he only smiled in reply. He intimated quite strongly, however, that Pueblo had ceased to be a secondary consideration in point of business for the Missouri Pacific, as it has been until recently and that the future would see a marked and steady improvement in not only transportation facilities, but in the establishment of enterprises in which the road is interested.

The fact that the D. & R. G. officials were also consulted in the plans and took part in the examination of the property is taken as evidence that it is the intention of the new company to make a strong bid for handling cattle from Wyoming, bringing them south from Denver via the D. & R. G. for shipment east over the Missouri Pacific. There is no doubt that the new yards will give a tremendous impetus to the extent of its capabilities.

As soon as the plans for the yards are entirely completed the matter of building, etc., will be placed in the hands of E. Fisher, an engineer of the Missouri Pacific bridges and building department. Mr. Fisher was one of the party who visited the site of the yards Friday morning. It is probable the material necessary will be purchased in Pueblo although the matter of whether any of the work will be done by local contractors is as yet undetermined.

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LONDON FINANCIAL OUTLOOK MORE CHEERFUL

By Associated Press.

London, Dec. 22. The stock market generally was more cheerful during the last week chiefly owing to the growing belief here and on the continent that the war in South Africa is really winding up at last. Speculators derived additional encouragement from the better outlook in the United States, the revival of confidence in France and the belief that the worst of the German crisis is past. Home rails were considerably strengthened on the announcement of the policy of the Northeastern railway to Americanize its traffic department, as a result of which the railway hopes to secure material economies both in freight and passenger haulage. It is also understood another railway line will probably imitate this policy. At this same time the railway outlook for the coming year is not very promising. Competent critics declare that the railways are steadily ruining rural England by their excessive agricultural freight rates. This same policy, it is pointed out, is largely responsible for the existing depression in English industrial centers, while the program of the railway companies, up to date, seems to be to make up for the diminished volume of traffic by charging higher freight rates on what remains. It is argued therefore that a radical change of policy towards their customers, as well as a mechanical reorganization, is necessary to put home rails upon a basis of permanent prosperity.

For the present, however, the stock exchange is enjoying the year end revival to the utmost. Promoters of mining securities are carefully nourishing a boom, but it is said that a considerable undercurrent of realizing by outsiders for fear of some sudden reverse in South Africa may check the welcome rise.

The closing money market of the year is without serious inconvenience. The market is unable to shake itself clear of the Bank of England. It borrowed £500,000 last week and will probably take £400,000 this week. It is true that large government disbursements of supply and interest, after January 1, will realize large sums; but in view of the depleted bank reserve the bank will probably take measures to attract gold from New York and Paris, thus endangering the prospect of cheap money throughout the coming year. For if the war continues this will necessitate fresh government loans and the market will thus be drained of its resources. If the war ceases there will be such an outburst of activity in various directions that trade will draw away much money now employed on the stock exchange.

Silver continues quiet. The improvement of the early part of the week was checked by the dumping of a large amount of American metal on the market.

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"Last summer I was in a place where nothing but Java coffee was served on the breakfast table, and I recommenced the use of it.

"In two or three weeks I again began to suffer from dizziness and explosive noises in my head.

"One evening after walking about half a mile I became dizzy and could hardly get back home, where I fell, exhausted, on the bed. I knew what the trouble was, and thereafter insisted upon having Postum instead of the old-fashioned coffee; and I got well in short order.

"I have always thought it worth while to warn the cook, wherever I happen to be, to make the Postum properly, that is, by boiling it long enough. Please do not print my name.

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EDWARD CAUSES CHANGE IN LADIES' DRESSES

By Associated Press.

London, Dec. 22.—The Earl Marshal's order changing the peeresses coronation robes, while generally commended, has created no little consternation among those who had already ordered these costly garments. It appears that the change was due to the personal action of King Edward, who had been approached on the subject by many ladies of the court. They declared their robes were hot and unbecoming, besides hiding the gorgeous gowns which were to be worn. The new robes favored by royalty have a long train and a small minerva cap while the skirt is looped back and caught up with bops, so as to show the white underdress, which is edged with minerva. Though the change doubtless suits most of them it has put several peeresses and court dressmakers in a quandary, for work on many of the robes had already commenced.

An interesting report is in circulation to the effect that Queen Alexandra will be attended at the coronation by four duchesses, dressed in cloth of gold and wearing their robes and coronets. Those selected are said to be the Duchesses of Marlborough, Montrose, Sutherland and Portland.

MONTANA OFFICIAL SILENCED ATTORNEY

By Associated Press.

Butte, Mont., Dec. 22.—A special to the Miner from Missoula says that Lieut. Governor Higgins and his brother Arthur Higgins, the state game warden, last night were acquitted of the charge of assault in the third degree preferred by Theodore Blockley. Blockley was one of the trio whom the state officers waylaid and severely thrashed about a week ago.

During the hearing last night, attorney for the plaintiff had occasion to bring the name of Mrs. Higgins, mother of the lieutenant governor into the case. The lieutenant governor, white with wrath, jumping to his feet and, shaking his fist at the opposing counsel called his fist at the opposing counsel, exclaimed: "If the court will not stop you from using my mother's name in this case, I will do it myself."

The court room was crowded to suffocation, and the verdict was received with applause.

One more charge yet remains against the belligerent officials, that of assault in the second degree, preferred by Charles Booth, another victim.

SWEAT SHOP FIRE CAUSED TWO DEATHS

New York, Dec. 22. Isaac Gill, a tailor, 52 years old and an unidentified man lost their lives at a fire that destroyed a four-story sweat shop building in Clinton street tonight. Four people were injured, none of them fatally. About 40 men and women were at work in the building. The fire started in the basement and gained such headway that escape was cut off. The people jumped from the windows to save themselves. Many whose names were not mentioned were slightly injured. The pecuniary loss is small.

LIFE IMPRISONMENT FOR CORPORAL'S MURDER

By Associated Press.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 22.—Policeman George Hanlon was tonight found guilty of the murder of Police Corporal Fred Richterkessing and his punishment was fixed at life imprisonment.

Corporal Richterkessing was shot and killed on the night of April 1. He had reported Hanlon to the chief of police at different times for violating police regulations.

GOVERNOR CRANE'S ATTITUDE DOUBTFUL

By Associated Press.

Springfield, Mass., Dec. 22. The doubt in regard to Governor Crane's attitude toward President Roosevelt's tender of the office of the secretary of the treasury must be cleared up from Washington. The governor himself has nothing to say. It is learned at Dalton that he has dispatched his decision to the president by a special messenger who ought to reach his destination on Monday.

What the governor has said to the president is left wholly to inference and no information can be obtained here.

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PELTA'S DEPARTMENT STORE

GENERAL CHAFFEE ON PHILIPPINE SITUATION

Manila, Dec. 22. General Chaffee, speaking with the correspondent here of the Associated Press, on the situation in the Islands, said he considered conditions in the Philippines hopeful and that by the end of February all the turbulent provinces will have been pacified. General Chaffee excepts the Island of Samar, however, which will probably require some months longer. There the situation demands a policy of rigid starvation and the giving of food only to those who surrender or who stay in the towns.

The closing of the ports in Laguna and Batangas provinces, in Luzon, has had a most salutary effect, as the measure has resulted in touching the pockets of the Manila Filipinos who have been aiding the insurgents.

The former are anxious now for peace and are working to that end, in order to hasten matters those Filipinos will co-operate with the forces under General Bell in Batangas and Laguna.

APPARENTLY A CASE OF FOUL PLAY

By Associated Press.

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 22.—Mrs. Grace Powell, a young German woman living on Seventh avenue, Mount Pleasant, a suburb of Vancouver, has been missing for three days and is supposed to have been murdered. On Thursday the woman was at home with her father and was called to the door by a stranger, a small man, who wanted to sell her some poultry. She agreed to buy and the man said he had the fowls at his place a short distance away. She threw on her shawl, took her purse containing $35 and went out, remarking that she would be back in a few minutes. Since then she has not been seen.

NUC ZE GA DEAD

By Associated Press.

La Crosse, Wis., Dec. 22.—Nuc Ze Ga, the oldest Indian squaw in the United States, died at the Winnebago Indian camp on Barron's Island tonight. Old city, aged 125. She was buried with the customary ceremonies today in the presence of a large number of chiefs from all parts of the northwest. She was the mother of Red Snake and John Sherman, two of the best known bucks in the Black river country, and the oldest member of the Winnebago tribe.

DEPEW'S WEDDING DAY

By Associated Press.

London, Dec. 22.—The wedding of Senator Chauncey M. Depew, who arrived at Plymouth December 20 on the North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse, and Miss May Palmer has now been fixed for December 28 at Nice.

LONDON THOROUGHBREDS.

By Associated Press.

New York, Dec. 22.—The steamer Minnehaha which arrived this morning from London brought 24 fine thoroughbred racing horses. Twelve are for Wishart and Baker and going to Chicago. The others are consigned to H. E. Leigh.

ABANDONMENT JUSTIFIED.

By Associated Press.

Portland, Ore., Dec. 22. The court appointed by British Consul James Laidlaw to investigate the causes leading up to the abandonment of the British bark Pinmore off Grays Harbor on December 8 found that Captain Jamieson and crew were justified in leaving the vessel.

GOVERNOR ROGERS ILL.

By Associated Press.

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 22. An Olympia special to the Ledger says:

Governor Rogers is confined to his home with an attack of pneumonia. His physicians say he is seriously ill, but that his condition has not reached a point to cause great alarm.

GRAND DUKE DIVORCED.

By Associated Press.

Darmstadt, Dec. 22.—The superior court has pronounced the separation of the Grand Duke and Duchess of Hesse.

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OUR AMERICAN BULLER.

If General Nelson A. Miles had retired or passed to the great beyond ten years ago his fame as a military man would have remained untarnished. The world would have thought of him as a brave soldier of the war of the rebellion and a conspicuous Indian fighter in the years succeeding. Unfortunately he lived to be at the head of the army when the Spanish war came, and during that time and each day since he has managed to make it quite clear that he has not a very good head on a fine pair of shoulders.

In the troubles that came during and right after the late war it was natural for the public to take sides with the fighting man against the departments and the general had many partisans. There are always two sides to every discussion, and there was to this one. President McKinley, with his wonderful patience and toleration had much to endure at that time from General Miles, and that the story has never been fully told is evident.

A writer in a popular magazine last winter gave the general a scoring not unlike that handed to Thomas C. Platt lately by William Allen White. The article was evidently inspired and has never been answered so far as we know. It told of a number of absolutely ridiculous recommendations that Miles made, among them a shield device which the soldiers were to wheel in front of themselves to ward off bullets. Some of these were actually made and are a subject of ridicule among military men. Things finally reached a point where the president and General Corbin had to ignore him altogether. They attended to the business, while he rattled around Washington trying to employ his time so that it would appear he was taking a part. Finally he went to Cuba after the fighting was over and made a pretense of assuming command. Later he was sent to Puerto Rico and as El Capitan gave an opera bouffe campaign.

The general's latest break in expressing an opinion on the naval controversy shows his weakness. Secretary Root gave him the scoring he merited, and if he has any judgment left he will come out with a letter acknowledging the fact and apologizing. It will be more to his "honor as an officer" than lame excuses. Miles is our American Buller. The time is coming when generals at the heads of armies will be accompanied by censors who will be commissioned to prevent their talking.

A YEAR OF CALAMITIES.

That this has been a year of accidents and calamities almost every one knows. Undoubtedly the statistics at the end of the month will demonstrate that 1901 has made a record. Commenting on this the Los Angeles Herald says:

This year is maintaining to the end its reputation for phenomenal calamities and disasters. From nearly all sections of the east we hear of storms, floods and low temperatures without precedent at this period of the year. It is quite unusual in the east for intense winter weather to occur before the holidays, and to continue day after day. January and February are the months in which winter is expected to turn on coldness to the limit. Not until after the winter solstice is very low temperature expected. As the old saying has it, in relation to this period: "When the day begins to lengthen, then the cold begins to strengthen." When the solstice point is rounded, December 21, then winter is supposed to "get down to business" and make the mercury in the thermometer dive for the bulb.

The floods that have devastated great sections of the east within the last few days are the most remarkable features of this abnormal month. Great floods in December are almost unknown in the eastern states. Moderate freshets are expected to follow autumn rains, and occasionally there are floods caused by exceptionally warm periods in mid-winter known as "January thaws." What may be called the regular flood season is in the early spring, when rains melt the accumulated snow in the mountains.

We are now getting very near the end of 1901, and it may be hoped that it has no more terrors in store. It has been a memorable year in many respects, and in the annals of time it will be recorded that the twentieth century came into being with a train of phenomenal events in its early stage.

Canon City has received an announcement from Andrew Carnegie that he will build the place a ten thousand dollar library building if the city will maintain it, and the offer will be accepted. The Colorado Springs council is paying enough each year to the local library association to justify asking a very handsome gift from Mr. Carnegie. Quite a number of times it has been suggested that he be asked for the gift, but the citizens feel a delicacy in the matter when they have so many men of wealth living here who have done absolutely nothing to benefit the place or make it more desirable [illegible] consoling that of all the men who have regained health or acquired wealth here that so few have tried to assist the place in a public way.

The rumor that Secretary Gage is to resign the treasury portfolio is going about again, and this time the rumor seems to be with some authority. Secretary Gage has the confidence of the people as well as the leading financial men of the world, and the president will not permit him to retire until he has found someone equally acceptable.

Anyone who experienced the awful heat in St. Louis this summer must read with some surprise of zero weather that interfered with the exposition exercises. These United States can supply some great varieties of weather.

A SILVER LINING.

The Salt Lake Tribune sees a silver lining in the cast, and it is not in Senator Penrose's bill to put a duty on the white metal. Charles A. Conant was sent to the Philippine Islands to study the coin and currency question. He has made a report in which he advises that a coin be minted to be called the "peso." It is to bear a fixed value of fifty cents as compared with our silver dollars. This coin he would subdivide into ten smaller coins.

The Mexican dollar is the standard of value throughout the east, and the object is to substitute the new American coin for it. This would not require a new valuation. The making of the new coin should take up a great deal of silver, and no doubt its use could be gradually advanced throughout the orient. Better still it would become the basis for a vast oriental trade.

Regarding Mr. Penrose's bill to put 25 cents ad valorem duty on all imported unmanufactured silver, the Tribune contends that this country needs no protection for silver. It produces all the silver it uses and has plenty to spare, and it thinks a duty upon the metal would hamper American investments in Mexico and British Columbia and have a tendency to decrease the price of silver, rather than increase it.

LOOK BEYOND MACLAY.

Maclay, the historian who called Schley a cultiff and a coward, will be dismissed from service in the navy yards. It seems that he is an enthusiast, it is common to say "crank" nowadays, on naval subjects. For years he has studied and written and dug down into naval affairs, until he has produced some excellent work. Of course it is in a line that does not pay. The reading audience for that class of writing is very small, and recognizing that he could not continue his work unless assisted, the navy department has given him a sinecure that provided a living. While nominally employed as a workman his duties have been to write naval history. Supported and surrounded as he was by naval men, a majority of whom have been against Schley right along, call it clique or what you will, it was natural that he should imbibe their feelings. He made the bad break of permitting this feeling to get into his work. Then the history was adopted as a text book at Annapolis. There stood the startling accusation against a living officer of the navy and it was being taught to the youths who are growing up as his successors. No wonder Schley rebelled.

If Mr. Roosevelt is taking steps to suppress this discussion he is doing right, and just what we expected of him. On the other hand, if high naval authorities like Sampson and Crowninshield did read the proofs of the book and approved them, it would not be a bad thing for the secretary to find it out and give them a letter something like the one that General Miles has recently received from Secretary Root. The poor creature of a writer should not have to carry all the blame.

WHAT BECOMES OF THEM.

In Colorado we know pretty well what has become of the Populist party, although there are a good many voters left from that old organization who have not yet made up their minds what they will do next year. Kansas was the home of the purest populism, and it is interesting to follow them now in their searchings after political leaders. The following from the Topeka Herald is interesting and full of excellent advice:

The burning question of the hour among Populists who stand for principle is: "What shall become of us?"

The party of reform which took Kansas out of the Republican column, and has made a good share of the state's history for ten years, is on the verge of dissolution. Spoilsmen have undertaken to deliver the party into the hands of the Democrats, and the spoilsmen being numerous and active, there is a possibility that they will succeed, unless those who are Populists for something besides office look to their defenses without delay.

The Cleveland-Hill wing of the Democratic party lately has come to the front, and likely will dominate the party in the future. This will make no difference to the Populist spoilsmen, but the rank and file, those of the Populist party who think, will hardly stand for it. There is no political thing so obnoxious to a Populist as Clevelandism.

The Kansas Democrats have planned to make the campaign next year under what they are pleased to call the Democratic banner, although nobody is able to say just what a Democratic banner looks like. A few Populists will be placed on the ticket as a sop to the rank and file, but the whole thing is to be Democratic, and it will be Cleveland-Hill-Goldbug-Jim-Dye-Bill Sapp Democratic at that. There won't be anything about it that the Populists have stood for.

There will be one of two things for the Populists who left the Republican party—and about the only Populists now doing business are those who left the Republican party to do: Go it alone, or return to the Republican party, the party of Roosevelt and up-to-date, honest reform. A good many Populists lately have declared in favor of the latter course, for by it something could be accomplished; they would have a share in the victory, and a voice in the management of affairs.

Some of the politicians in New York who have been occupying sinecures have rested quietly in the belief that they were protected by the civil service. Mayor-elect Low has thrown them into consternation by the announcement that he has looked into the law and no "dead men" will be permitted on the pay rolls.

Condensed into the very latest and briefest saying of the day, the remarks of Secretary Root to General Miles were "Go way back and sit down."

WOOD AND WATER SUPPLY.

Wood and water, or in other words, the forests and streams are today among the most important of the country's possessions. In the west they are indispensable, the former [illegible] the water supply, and the streams for the reclamation of thousands of acres of barren and almost useless land through irrigation. It has been estimated that there are 75,000,000 acres of so-called arid lands west of the Missouri River which, with the water now available, can be made richly productive and the seat of large populations. Thus in the west the streams, even more than the forests, must be considered of prime importance as home-makers. In the east and west alike, and over all the country, the streams are rising yearly in importance for water power, and as towns and cities increase, for domestic supply as well. But with the streams the forests must always stand as protectors. The preservation of the forests on the mountains and foothills means the perpetuation of the water supply and the security of the water supply means incalculable development and benefit for all sections of the country. The results of the investigations of the United States geological survey, in its study of the water resources of the country, have repeatedly demonstrated the increasing value of the streams. The forests and the water resources are so closely allied that they must always stand side by side in the development of the country.

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Bonds and Warrants		228,225.23
Due from Banks	$890,253.27	
Cash	461,147.41	
		1,351,401.41
Total		$3,829,657.14

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ 100,000.00
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United States Bonds		100,000.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer		6,000.00
Bonds and warrants	$311,849.02	
Cash and due from Banks	1,365,018.16	1,676,867.18
Total		$3,014,698.13

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RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Cash on hand and in banks	$[illegible]	Capital	$250,000.00
Bills receivable	233,618.48	Deposits	295,[illegible]
Bonds and warrants	21,172.25	Interest payable on time certificates of deposit	[illegible]
Interest accrued bills receivable	2,938.11	Undivided profits	[illegible]
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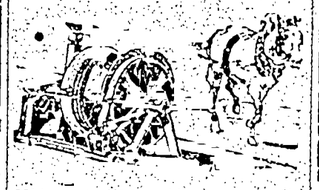

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U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation		[illegible]
U. S. Bonds to Secure U. S. Deposits	$ 100,000.00	
Other Bonds and Cash Securities	118,375.04	
Due from Banks and U. S. Treasurer	352,581.56	
Cash	181,382.46	
Cash Resources		[illegible]
		$1,131,[illegible]

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ [illegible]
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Undivided Profits	[illegible]
Circulation	[illegible]
Deposits	[illegible]
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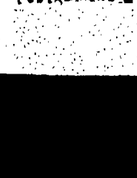

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Christmas music was sung and Christmas sermons were preached in all of the Colorado Springs churches yesterday. The spirit of Christmas time was omnipresent, and the edifices of worship were thronged at the various services.

The music was elaborate in all the churches and was appropriate for the occasion.

In the First Presbyterian church the choir was augmented by a chorus of voices. Mr. Clarence W. Bower directed the music. At the morning service there were solos by Mrs. Wells and Mr. Tucker and a duet by Mrs. Tucker and Miss Higgins. In the evening the choir rendered Parker's beautiful cantata "The Holy Child."

The morning music at the First Baptist church included the anthem, "Behold Thy Glad Sound," "Just As I Am," sung by the quartet, and a solo by Miss Roberts. In the evening Part of Henry Housley's cantata, "The Christ Child," was rendered.

At the Second Presbyterian church, pastor, Rev. Edward S. Lyle, preached a Christmas sermon in the morning. The music at this service included two anthems and a solo. In the evening the choir gave Coombs's "Christmas Herald."

The First Methodist church services were held in Perkins hall. In the morning the subject of Dr. Wilcox's Christmas sermon was "What Is Christ to Me?" There were two solos and an anthem on the musical program. Two anthems were sung in the evening.

The evening service at the First Congregational church was principally musical. "Christmas with the Poets" was the subject of Rev. Dr. Gregg's evening sermon. The music at both morning and evening services was fine.

Special Christmas services were held at the M. E. church South. "God in His Son" was the morning theme of the pastor, Rev. Mr. Carrington. There was special music.

With one or two exceptions all the other churches held special services. In the Sunday schools, also, appropriate services were held. The Christmas services at Grace church will be held on Christmas day.

When Grasshoppers Ate Hardware

Stories of the Great Grasshopper Year of 1874 may sound like pleasant dreams from way back, but no doubt of the terrible times of that year. It is exaggerated," said the "oldest Kansan," as Mr. Louis Monteith, a picturesque old-timer of Colorado, is familiarly known at one time, or another he was in this city on a visit.

It may be recalled by any one who was in Colorado at that time that it was an unusual thing to hear of a train of freight car on account of the grasshoppers that got on the rails. For days an engine and six or eight cars were thrown from the track owing to the slippery condition of the rails caused by the grasshoppers. Again and there was considerable comment for in such a wind a fire would be to prove disastrous. Some "laid out railroad yards," as he put it, the wagons and the wands before to the hearts of all who saw them, for a fire in that section is like Colorado Springs. A heavy rain at the eastern part of the state, but the western part was saved because the grasshoppers could not get over timber line. They froze there and a strip of dead grasshoppers traced their course for miles along the great range. Had it not been for this, Colorado would have suffered as Kansas did.

"There is one place called Poplar Pass in the southern part of the range where the grasshoppers poured through like a hurricane, destroying everything green in their path, but as this occurred late in October, a frost killed them the first day after their arrival.

"I used to say that they even consumed the hardware in my store at Monument. Indeed they did, but indirectly, as it were. The people in that part of the country were all thriving, prosperous farmers, and it was the custom to give them credit on their promised harvests. Now, in the spring, they made purchases of machinery and other goods usually kept in a hardware store, and I was to get my pay in the fall, after the crops had been harvested. Fall came, but not a family in those parts had a cent to show for their year's work. Not only this, but everybody had lost a great deal. In this way, I can say, with truthfulness, that the grasshoppers ate up my entire stock of hardware that year."

To Prevent Tippling in the Alleys

Public drinking and carousing in the alleys which has gone forth the police department and it will force with much strictness.

During the present week, the new lights will be placed in position and the police will be able to see those who have been in the habit of slipping into alleys to empty a glass or to take a quiet nip of the liquor stimulates for the time being.

The council, at its last meeting, instructed the street committee to order the electric lights to be used in the alleys in the business section of the city. They will be 32-candle power lamps and will afford considerable light. In fact the alleys will be as light as the streets, especially on moonlight nights for it is proposed to keep the alley lamps going all the time while the street lights are cut out when the moon is up. It will be safer to drink on the public streets than in the alleys after lamps are put in.

The police department welcomes the new lights very heartily as it will make police work easier.

Small Fire Caused Much Excitement

At 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the alarm was at its height, an alarm came in from box 48 at the corner of Comodos and Vermijo streets. The ringing of the big bell and the dash of the department down Huerfano street informed the people who were out and there was considerable excitement for in such a wind a fire would be to prove disastrous. Some "laid out railroad yards," as he put it, the wagons and the wands before to the hearts of all who saw them, for a fire in that section is like Colorado Springs. A heavy smoke was seen and people ran from all directions.

But it was only a small brush fire and another impending catastrophe was averted. The fire was along the creek edge about opposite Vermijo street. A couple of streams of water were directed on it and it was soon extinguished.

The Santa Fe will sell tickets to Denver and return Dec. 25, 31, Jan. 1 at $2.00, for Teachers' association meeting.

See Van West for diamonds; finest selection in the city.

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AMUSEMENTS

"A LION'S HEART."

When Mr. Cyril A. Haswin purchased the play, "A Lion's Heart," in London two years ago, he did so thinking he had found a fitting successor to "The Silver King." In which he has starred for so many years. That this judgment was correct has been proven by the immense success his new play has met with in the country. There were some managers who said that although the piece had been presented over a thousand times in London with great success, it would go over the heads of American audiences; they are now willing to admit they were mistaken, which goes to prove that the people of this country want, and do appreciate high class romantic drama as much as in England. "A Lion's Heart" is magnificently staged and acted, and those who see it at the Opera house next Saturday cannot fail being pleased.

HAVERLY'S MINSTRELS.

Haverly's minstrels will be seen at the Opera house next Friday. From the list of people they will come up to and even exceed all expectations. Special care has been taken in arranging the program to depart from the monotonous lines into which some of the companies presenting this kind of entertainment have fallen. "Newness and novelty" is the motto of this organization. Clever George Wilson is the chief fun purveyor and is ably assisted by Dan Allen, the famous Young family, Garden and Somers, Magler and Conley, Marion and Pearl, Eddie McGhie, Jim Mack, Sig. Montri, C. Larry Brown, William Mack, Claude Meakee and his charming orchestra, together with the best vocal octette in minstrelsy, including Harry Richards, Benson Bathrie, Edwin Platt, Sam Nankeville, Joseph Rury and George Morgan, the phenomenal male alto, direct from Moore & Burgess' minstrels, St. James hall, London, England.

"THE NEW DOMINION" TONIGHT.

Clay Clement, in his own romantic comedy of four acts, "The New Dominion," supported by a clever all-around company, will be the attraction at the Opera house this evening. There is a pleasing healthy tone throughout the play that is refreshing in these days of spectacular vaudeville, and one feels that he is in good society, society that generations of birth and good breeding makes. The story of the play deals with a German botanist, a scholarly gentleman, who appears in Virginia at the home of Mr. Randolph. He is searching for botanical specimens in the fields. While there he falls in love with the pretty, aristocratic daughter of the household, Miss Florence May Randolph (Mrs. Clement), portrayed so sweetly, with such delicate refinement, that one doesn't wonder how Mr. Hohenstaffen falls in love with her. The suitor is rejected because of a broken promise. An artful, selfish stepmother persuades the daughter to marry the son of a man that holds a mortgage for $15,000. The German botanist learns of the situation and pays off the mortgage from unselfish motives, later returning to his character and wins the hand of the beautiful Virginia Bower, whose heart had been his long before the payment of the mortgage.

MODJESKA AND JAMES.

Few of Shakespeare's plays suggest the magnificent opportunity for scenic environment and elaborate display of theatrical device as does Henry VIII., in which Madame Modjeska and Louis James are to appear here on Wednesday evening. The court of Henry VIII. history tells us, was famous, or perhaps was notorious, for its gilded magnificence, its extravagant splendor. The wily, selfish and capricious monarch doubtless followed such a policy to awe his subjects and to divert their thoughts from his pitiless taxation and persecution. Managers Wagenhals and Kemper are said to have evolved a stage representation of the days of the Tudors remarkable for its fidelity. The architecture and furniture, the gold and silver plate, material equipments and costumes are all exact reproductions of existing models. The dresses made for Queen Katherine in Europe or the impressive ceremonial robes of the great Cardinal Wolsey, are said to have received no greater attention than those worn by the super who carries a spear or holds up a train. Madam Modjeska will be seen as Queen Katherine and Mr. James as Cardinal Wolsey. The event is expected to attract the largest and most fashionable audience of the season. The organization numbers 37 people. Two carloads of scenery are carried for this production alone. On Christmas afternoon at 2:30 they will give a grand bargain matinee, presenting "Mary Stuart." Matinee prices are 50c, 75c and $1.00.

MR. PROUDFIT IS GAINING IN STRENGTH

Reports from the bedside of Mr. John W. Proudfit, who was injured in a runaway accident a short time ago, are very favorable. Yesterday was Mr. Proudfit's best day since the accident, and the advancement of other days continued through it.

No unfavorable symptoms have appeared in Mr. Proudfit's condition nor have any complications arisen since the time of his accident, and his brother, who is with him, reports marked progress within the last 48 hours, notably his recovery from the mental shock attending the accident. Mr. Proudfit has expressed to his physician his own feeling of improvement and is allowed to speak quietly with his brother on matters not calculated to excite him.

How to Prevent Croup.

It will be good news to the mothers of small children to learn that croup can be prevented. The first sign of the disease is hoarseness. A day or two before the attack the child becomes hoarse. This is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy freely as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the rough cough appears, and it will dispel all symptoms of croup. In this way all danger and anxiety may be avoided. That remedy is used in this way by many thousands of mothers, and has never been known to fail. It is, in fact, the only remedy that can always be depended upon, and that is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all druggists.

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On suit cases and valises, Mexican hand-carved leather goods, for Xmas presents. J. L. Harbaugh, 811 S. Cascade Ave.

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TRAINS TO PUEBLO.

Colorado and Southern Ry.
6:00 a. m.
11:00 a. m.
2:30 p. m.
6:20 p. m.
10:20 p. m.
City ticket office, 15 North Tejon St.

25 cents to Cripple Creek by the Colorado Midland railway.

PERSONAL MENTION

H. H. Burdick of Victor is a guest at the Alpine.

Dr. Isaac Dunn arrived home from an eastern trip yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bryant of Denver are guests at the Alpine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Collins of Victor are guests at the Alta Vista.

A. N. Lyon of Logansport, Ind., is a recent arrival at the Alta Vista.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis James of the Modjeska company are at the Alpine.

H. G. Graham and W. S. Hollister of Denver, are registered at the Antlers.

Dr. William F. Hascuplug of Cripple Creek spent yesterday at the Antlers.

Charles F. Gonsalli, a well-known Cripple Creek mining man, is registered at the Alpine.

A. C. Hadley and W. H. Coozer of Canon City, are registered at the Spaulding house.

Wadsworth Harris and Jerome Harrington of New York, are recent arrivals at the Antlers.

Louis Schwanbeck, a prominent pioneer in Colorado, is in the city. His residence is now in Denver.

Mr. Delaney of Cripple Creek, was in the city yesterday visiting his brothers, Tom and Phil and his mother.

Mrs. C. O. Dean and Miss Dean of Canon City, are in the city over the holidays. They are at the Alta Vista.

S. T. Armstrong of Detroit, has engaged apartments at the Alta Vista to remain a considerable part of the winter.

Hon. J. R. Gordon of Pueblo, a member of the legislature for several sessions, and George J. Dimbaugh of Pueblo, are at the Alta Vista.

William B. Ellenhead, a mining engineer who has been examining some Cripple Creek properties for a Philadelphia concern, is a guest at the Spaulding house.

Madame Modjeska, who plays here tomorrow night, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hayes. Madame Modjeska owned a summer cottage here a few years ago and was in the habit of spending a considerable part of her vacation in the city during which time she became a great favorite with the society people here.

FAIR-SIZED DOCKET FOR POLICE JUDGE

Police Judge Boatright will have a fair-sized docket to dispose of this morning. Most of the offenders are charged with ordinary drunkenness.

Three arrests were made yesterday. Walter Weston who is accused of having imbibed too freely, was picked up in the D. & R. G. yards by Officer Burch yesterday morning at 11 o'clock. T. J. Murphy was arrested by Officer Armstrong on Pike's Peak avenue early yesterday morning, and a charge of over-indulgence was lodged against him. William Buster is accused of having become quarrelsome under the influence of liquor. He was arrested by Officer Bennett and a charge of drunkenness and disturbance was lodged against him. He was arrested at 544 East Cutthia street.

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William J. Palmer.

Special Sale.

Christmas presents at Sam Wing's, opposite Postoffice.

For only a few days you can get Douglas shoes at half price. Nesbitt, 12 East Huerfano.

Reduction Fur Sale.

Aiken's Museum, No. 2 Kiowa street, corner Cascade avenue.

Theater and party carriages and broughams; fine liveries. Antlers Livery.

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"The Foreshadowing of the Cross."

So many who have seen the remarkable old painting of the Madonna, owned by Mr. Stevens, have asked him if copies of it could be had, that he has finally consented to issue a few.

From the splendid reproduction of the painting in a recent Sunday's Gazette, it was known that an excellent negative must have been made, notwithstanding the great difficulty of rendering the color values of a painting so rich in color and so mellowed by time. Such [illegible] from the negative are very rich and mellow and almost suggest the color. A few of these prints are exhibited today for the first time at Mr. Stevens' studio, 26 East Bijou street, and as he has made but about thirty altogether there are now only a few left because of a number having been sent to the various art galleries and museums of Europe and America.

As it will be impossible to make any more before Christmas those who want them must come early this morning to secure one of the few that are left.

GUESTA KEY CIGARS
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There's a Silk Sale going on at JOHNSON & WILBUR'S that you had better look into.

69c a yard
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$1.00 a yard
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for High Art Fancy Waist Silks valued up to $3.00 a yard.

Special values in Black Dress Silks for Monday and Tuesday.

There were some worthy dress goods specials advertised by JOHNSON & WILBUR for today. Remember you saw it in yesterday's ad.

YESTERDAY WAS A WINDY DAY

Colorado Springs was visited by another wind storm yesterday and during the afternoon a small gale traversed the streets of the city. The wind was at its height at about 3 o'clock in the afternoon and then attained a velocity of 45 miles an hour. The average velocity for the 24 hours ending at 6 o'clock last night was 18 miles an hour. No damage was done.

An Evangelist's Story.

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Tickets on sale Nov. 19, Dec. 3-17. Final limit 21 days from dates of sale. For further information apply to G. M. Jacobs, Com'l. Agent, Office 15 N. Tejon St.

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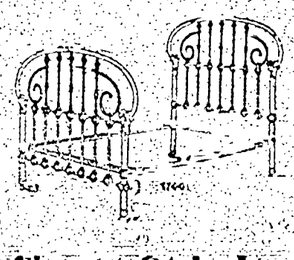

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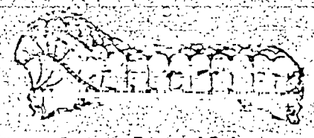

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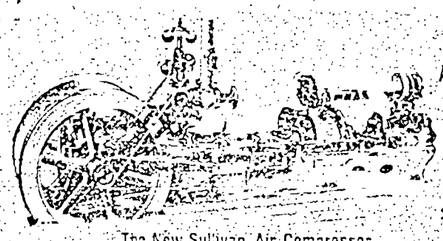

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MARKET LETTERS

BONBRIGHT & CO.'S MARKET LETTER

Colorado Springs, Dec. 20, 1901.

Contrary to all expectations, the approach of the holidays has witnessed a revival of the mining stock market, and the past few days have been better, from a trading point of view, than even the optimists had expected. Many of the leading stocks dropped to such low figures that large buying orders were brought out. The leader of the market has been Elkton, and the presence of large blocks of stock on the market caused the shares to decline to the almost unprecedented low price of $1.29. A quick recovery soon set in, however, and with Elkton soaring the whole market quickly responded. Doctor Jack Pot also suffered in the decline, the price of the shares dropping as low as 40 cents, but a strong demand was created for this stock, and the result was that the price has risen to 46 cents. The feeling that the market will be considerably stronger after the holidays now prevails amongst brokers and clients alike, as the general tendency of the whole market is upward.

Fine reports are coming from the Golden Cycle property. Recently the Harrison vein, which was opened at the ninth level, has been considerably developed, and the most encouraging assays are being had from all portions of the vein. The company has been doing a great deal of development work, which is now yielding results, and the shipments are steadily increasing. There has been considerable talk of dividends by this company, but no definite promise is made by the directors as to the initial date. However, if all reports from the property can be credited, dividends may be expected in early spring.

Although the price of Isabella shares has dropped below 20 cents, yet the stock is quite a favorite and a good trader on the exchange. It is now reported that an effort is being made by outside parties to secure control of the company at the next annual meeting in January. Isabella has proven a sad disappointment, particularly during the past few months; but as the company owns extensive property, the greater part not exploited, and has at times in the past been a magnificent producer, its possibilities are great. If a fight is precipitated for the control the shares may take a rapid upward turn at any time.

The recent strike in the winze sunk from the bottom of the Ophelia tunnel in the Alamo property, is proving up very handsomely. Assays recently taken from this strike give returns of 11 ounces to the ton. This is a remarkable showing and by far the best ever made in this property, or in fact, in any property in this section of the camp. The company is sacking ore and will send out a shipment in a few days. The depth at which the ore has been encountered argues well for its permanency.

RAMSAY-C. BOGY'S MARKET LETTER

Denver, Colo., Dec. 21, 1901.

Dear Sir—On Monday of this week the market declined as sharply as on any day for the entire month, but on Tuesday the advance exceeded the decline of Monday, and every day since has shown a sharp upward movement. In fact this improvement has been so material that prices have now been carried almost to their level of December 1. In other words, the last five days, including today, has almost made up for the steady decline of over half a month, and the close today looks well for a continued improvement. It is probable that this is caused by buying orders of those who anticipate a material improvement after the first of the year. While we think it probable that some of the higher priced stocks may go lower, most of the low priced shares have reached such an extremely low level that a further decline is not probable, and we particularly urge those who are holding low priced stocks bought at considerably higher prices than the present to buy more now and so lower their average. By this method they will be in position to take profits at a time when the more timid are only just about getting even. We refuse to predict the immediate future of the market, but at the same time do not hesitate to express our absolute confidence in its ultimate recovery to prices higher than ever before.

DORSEY INVESTMENT CO.'S MARKET LETTER

The anticipated upward movement of prices set in on Tuesday, the 17 inst., immediately following the three days' heavy decline. The trend of prices had been downward with slight fluctuations since October 28, and every indication points to the fact that the bottom has been reached for the present. While the advance is not marked by any sensational features, still the average is well maintained in the upward direction. A gradual advance is of course much more desirable than a sudden bulge, which would call out a large number of selling orders and immediately "weak" the market.

The volume of trading is gradually improving, and the number of stocks traded in is increasing every day, indicating a wider distribution of buying orders. Brokers, who of course watch the market more closely than others and who are therefore in position to read the signs more readily, are very much encouraged, and a much more hopeful feeling is manifested on all sides than we have seen for many months.

Several stocks have shown signs of recovery during the past week, particularly Elkton and El Paso, and some of the lower priced stocks have taken on new life. We are firmly of the belief that the time has come for those who have waited so long for prices to reach bottom, to place their orders, and we wish to reiterate the predictions made in our last three market letters, that before the end of January, they will have to pay much more for these stocks than they can get them for now. The list is large, and care should be exercised in selecting. Eastern clients should watch the quotations published by the exchange in the various eastern papers and take advantage of the opportunity offered by the present turn in the market, either to average down the prices of their present holdings or to make new and profitable investments.

The enormous dividends paid by the Consolidated Mines company and the other dividends which are coming this month, together with the announcement of the increased output of the camp for the year, is sure to have a beneficial influence on the market.

The mining exchange will remove on January 2 to the magnificent new Exchange building, and practically every room in the building has been taken by brokerage firms. The facilities for handling business will be greatly improved, and altogether it seems that the exchange is starting the new year under most promising conditions.

We have selected a list of stocks in which we have great confidence, and which we believe should be purchased without delay. We shall be glad to furnish this list upon application.

We suggest that our clients holding Isabella stock send their proxies to William Lennox, Colorado Springs, as an effort will be made to elect him a director and possibly president of that company.

DELANY & DELANY'S MARKET LETTER

December 21, 1901.

The movement during the early part of the week to crush prices to their lowest limit, appears to have succeeded, as the stocks most affected have rebounded and are now steadily advancing. However disastrous such raids are, they often are the means of forcing our weak holders to the advantage of stronger ones. It is to be hoped that the two leaders (Elkton and El Paso) will continue to advance, and that hesitating investors will take an early advantage of those shares and get in on the upward movement. The effect of a bull market is always doubly advantageous as buying orders always increase on an advancing market, and over-frightened sellers develop into enthusiastic buyers.

There is no apparent reason for the weakness of El Paso and Elkton, only that certain large holders precipitated the break in hopes of filling their pockets to the disadvantage of the whole mining interest. It may be well to know that such efforts are more often a failure than a success, and while the selling of large blocks of any good stock temporarily destroys market values, yet there is a bottom and when this is reached, the effort to regain all the shares sold often proves unsuccessful. It is astonishing sometimes how scarce a stock becomes the minute it displays any decided strength.

The holiday season will soon be over, and we then look for a more healthy tone in the market. The decline also of the speculative interest in New York stocks will recur to the advantage of our local mining securities. Taking everything into consideration, such as the increase of dividends by some of the large producers, and the renewed activity amongst the brokers, the beginning of the coming year ought to start off with a rush and a hurrah, and keep it up till summer.

L. E. HILL'S MARKET LETTER

Colorado Springs, Dec. 21, 1901.

Within the year 1902 our market is likely to experience a stimulation more enduring and of wider import than any that has ever before affected it. I speak of the probably successful demonstration of a cheaper process for treating refractory ores. I can conceive of nothing that will so profoundly affect every interest, even remotely connected with the Cripple Creek district, as a diminution of the cost of production, which may be said to include treatment. Not only will mines now producing reap larger profits, but many properties full of ore too low in grade for shipment at present may hope to become disbursers of dividends.

It has long been known that bromine is the best solvent for gold. The problem has been the recovery of the bromine, and it is not at all improbable that a solution is discovered. I believe a demonstration is imminent, for the 125-ton mill of the Telluride Reduction company is rapidly nearing completion. By the last of next month a miniature plant (solely for purposes of demonstration) will be treating 500-pound lots, and the mill proper, which is the first of four units, will be running by April 1. Of course even a 500-ton mill will be only a starter, once the process is proved beyond dispute, but, being proved, the future of Cripple Creek and other camps producing similar ores will take a fresh lease on public confidence.

Of course failure is not impossible, but the men behind this enterprise are able and careful and they are spending in the erection of this first mill $175,000 of their own money, which to me is very significant. Thorough tests convinced them they were right before they began the construction of a mill, and unless they have blundered, the future is full of hope for every holder of stock in a Cripple Creek company that has any reasonable right to expect to find ore. I have mentioned the matter because this is a time when stockholders ought to be encouraged, and because, further, I do not believe the full significance of this worthy enterprise has been appreciated. I am authorized to state that by February I samples up to 500 pounds, from any part of this country or Mexico, will be received, treated and reported on as to the applicability of this method to the ores in question. It is, therefore, worth while to watch this matter closely, especially if you hold stock in some low grade mine.

I note that a Denver contemporary is advising the sale of Anaconda. While this gentleman's information may be more accurate than mine, I differ with him nevertheless. Were there no stock in the treasury, the present market price of Anaconda would indicate something like $500,000 for the property. Certainly there is not enough ore in sight to warrant such a price, but it is also true that not even a control of the Anaconda could be bought for 50 cents per share. With nearly 400 acres, Anaconda is located among the big mines of the camp. While no permanent body of ore has yet been opened, it should not be forgotten that comparatively little search has been made, through this area. The company is actively developing, and about 18 sets of lessees are working vigorously. Of these, two are now in ore that may prove to be what has been long sought for. Within the past few days the company has opened a vein in the tunnel level, 600 feet below the surface at that point, that assays 40 ounces, and while it is too soon to say whether this strike will be permanent, the find is worth mentioning. Anaconda has no debts, has a healthy treasury reserve, is competently and honestly managed, and is being steadily developed.

In view of these facts I would hesitate to advise the sale of Anaconda. It looks to me more like a purchase than a sale, and I know that those most intimately acquainted with the property have not parted with their stock.

There are many symptoms of improvement in the tone of the market, indicative of careful buying. The recovery of Elkton from the low mark and also of El Paso, have made buyers feel more as if the market would be protected from the worst. It is a good time to pick up some of the cheap stocks which are selling below what the property could be sold for under the hammer, as Echo, Gold Hill and numerous others that might be mentioned.

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R. G. DUN & CO.'S REVIEW

By Associated Press.

New York, Dec. 20.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade tomorrow will say:

Holiday trade reached its maximum this week, nearly all sections of the country reporting exceptional distribution, and while the class of goods especially stimulated by Christmas demand occupied the position of greatest prominence, general merchandise was not far behind in activity. Transporting interests were just beginning to overcome congested conditions when severe storms made the situation more complicated than before.

In the grain market wheat has held fairly steady at some reaction from last week's exceptionally high point and there is still much evidence of a firm undertone. Severe weather stimulated the western demand for live stock feeding and pointed to poor receipts.

Heretofore this season there has been a large gain in comparison with the corresponding period of 1900. Higher prices have at last affected the export movement.

Failures for the week numbered 265 in the United States as against 232 last year, and 19 in Canada as against 18 last year.

BRADSTREET'S REVIEW

By Associated Press.

New York, Dec. 20. Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

Retail has easily held the center of the stage this week, stimulated as it has been by the dual influences of exceptionally cold wather throughout the country and a more pronounced holiday demand which promises to be of record breaking character, not only as to volume, but as to quality and grade of goods purchased. While jobbers in many lines, notably shoes, clothing and rubber goods, report a good re-order business, growing out of the above conditions, wholesale trade as a rule has been seasonably quiet, exceptions being noted in raw wool, woolen goods, lumber, leather, coal and iron and steel. The spectacular feature of the week in prices has been the continued marking down of copper, and the drop in tin and lead in sympathy.

Slow but steady accretions in the price of pig iron are proof of the heavy buying going on in the cruder forms. Despite the record breaking production, buyers are still eager and the car shortage cry is heard most loudly in this trade. Nothing is heard of the usual conservative waiting for the new year's arrivals to place business and order books of leading producers are filled for long periods ahead. Hardware is in good demand at most markets.

In speculative staples the cereals have held a portion of the rally from the low prices struck last week. Wheat, including flour, exports for the week aggregate 4,632,832 bushels as against 3,879,809 bushels last week and 4,122,350 bushels in this week last year.

Wheat exports, July 1 to date (25 weeks) aggregate 140,638,547 bushels as against 82,084,709 bushels last season.

Business failures in the United States for the week number 265 as against 232 last week and 262 in this week a year ago.

Canadian failures for the week number 21 as against 22 last week and 28 in this week a year ago.

House of Representatives, Washington.
Washington, D. C., Dec. 5, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that a competitive examination of candidates for the West Point Military academy will be held at Colorado Springs, Colorado, under the supervision of Prof. John Dietrich on the 10th and 11th days of January, 1902. Any person between the ages of 17 and 21 years, from the second congressional district of Colorado is eligible, if qualified mentally and physically to meet the strict requirements of the military Academy.

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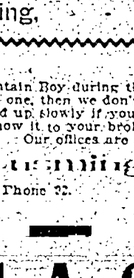

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STATE MINING NEWS.

BONANZA DISTRICT.

The Rawley Mining company has a greatly increased force at work in their mine at Bonanza and the scene about the "Rawley" mine is a decidedly busy one. The force now numbers 50 men, and with an equipment for taking out ore as good as can be had the product of this excellent mine will be placed in the market with but little difficulty. The company has ordered a concentrating mill of 100-ton capacity which is en route and will be put up near the mine upon arrival.

The Eagle mine is producing some excellent ore and its owners are stimulated to even greater activity in development work. A force of eight men are at work in the Hortense and good ore is being taken from this property.

Fully 100 men are now employed in the camp at good wages, and every resident feels highly gratified with results being attained.—(Salida Mail.

TELLURIDE DISTRICT.

Developments in the Butterfly-Terrible mine at Ophir Loop are going constantly ahead with the most flattering results, establishing the continuity and improved quality of the ore as depth is gained on the vein. For some months work has been prosecuted on a winze being sunk from No. 6 level at a point about 1,600 feet from the mouth of the tunnel. Recently this winze has opened into a large body of ore which has been extensively tested with most flattering results, returns of as high as 13 ounces of gold to the ton having been secured.

The encountering of this body of ore at this depth establishes the fact that the rich shoot of ore on which stoping has been carried on for some months in the upper workings continues to an indefinite depth and grows richer as it goes down. The proving of this fact is most important and adds very materially to the value of the property.

Manager Sayer is also driving a crosscut from No. 3 tunnel for the 1da, a parallel vein of the Butterfly, from the upper workings of which some excellent ore has been taken. This bore has now progressed 1,000 feet and the surveys indicate that the vein will be encountered in about 100 feet more. This crosscut opens the 1da 320 feet below the No. 4 level, from which it will be seen that a large area of stoping ground will at once become available.

From the breast of level No. 1 a short crosscut was driven and a drift running parallel with the tunnel is being driven backwards toward the surface. On this a new and unknown vein has been cut, assaying from $5 to $17 per ton in gold. Seventy-five feet has been driven into this deposit, showing a strong and continuous ore body. From these new discoveries it will be seen that ore reserves are now opened whose product assures an ample mill supply indefinitely, without further exploitation of the mine. However, it is Manager Sayer's policy to push development steadily forward.

Preparations are now making for the installation of a complete air compressing plant, which will greatly enhance the possibility for more rapid development and extraction of ore, as well as to materially minimize the cost of production.

A perfect steam plant has recently been completed at the mill which will supersede water as a motive power, the supply of which is very capricious, particularly during the winter months. With this equipment the provoking hindrances that so materially curtailed the Butterfly output last winter will be overcome and the mill run continuously at its full capacity. The Butterfly-Terrible is in better and more promising form than ever before. As above stated, extensive ore reserves are already opened up and development goes steadily forward with positive assurance that these reserves will be steadily increased. Permanent and substantial improvements have been made in mine and mill, increasing the capacity and improving the facilities. All this comes out of the mine, profits and the regular quarterly dividends are kept up while the surplus reserve is continually growing.

The Butterfly-Terrible is destined in the not far distant future to take rank as one of the largest and best mines in southern Colorado.—(Telluride Journal.

GUNNISON COUNTY.

THE HARRIS-FAIRLEY COPPER MINING AND SMELTING CO.—A company under the above name has recently been formed to operate in this district. The officers are: Frank Meyer, president; J. C. Ferris, vice-president; O. S. Moore, secretary and treasurer, who with E. L. Ogden and A. T. Ferris compose the directorate.

The principal office will be at Aspen. All of the gentlemen connected with this new organization are well known and heavily interested in the development of this section, and will undoubtedly manage the affairs of the company in a business-like manner.

The Harris-Fairley vein is a strong, well defined fissure located on Crystal mountain and is one of the early locations in that part of the district, having been patented many years ago.

The abruptness of Crystal mountain, as covered by this group of claims, makes it an ideal location for the driving of a tunnel. A tunnel started near the creek on this vein would afford great depth and would open up the various ore measures, do away with much expensive machinery, entirely eliminate the vexing water problem and be accessible all the year.

The ore shoot already uncovered in the upper workings of this excellent property extends for over 75 feet along the vein and is from five to 15 feet wide, assays from which show values of from 7 to 29 per cent. copper and from $5 to $30 in silver and gold.

The development work on this group consists of a tunnel nearly 600 feet in length, disclosing a good ore shoot, and it is the intention to push this tunnel further ahead on the vein.

Later on the company contemplates the erection of its own smelting plant in close proximity to the claims.

Crystal mountain is noted for its excellent copper-lead outcroppings and we see no reason why the Harris-Fairley group should not be developed with beneficial results to the company and the stockholders.

In former years prospectors in this section only looked for gold and silver and paid no attention to copper; but the advanced price and greatly increasing demand for the latter metal has made it a prominent factor in mining throughout the west, and mining men are commencing to realize the value of the many copper-bearing propositions in this district, among which the Harris-Fairley and other properties on Crystal mountain are prominent.—(Marble Times.

ARCHULETA COUNTY.

The oil excitement goes merrily on and each hour brings Pagosa near to the field of success. There are now three wells actually drilling, viz: Pagosa Oil and Land company, which is boring two and one-half miles southeast of Pagosa; E. M. Biggs' well at Coyote park; the Colorado Mutual Coal and Oil company, nine miles northeast of Pagosa.

We have three wells that will commence drilling within the next few days, viz: The Home Oil and Fuel company, five miles west of Pagosa, who have all their buildings and derrick completed, engine and boiler in place, and are now awaiting the arrival of the cable, drill, casing, etc., which are now on the road from Chicago. This well will be drilling within three days after the arrival of this machinery.

The Denver Oil and Mines company, which is located on M. O. Brown's ranch, ten miles southeast of Pagosa, have the lumber and nearly all the machinery on the ground, and derrick builders will commence erecting the same immediately. They will probably be drilling before Christmas.

The Colorado Oil company at Chromo will commence drilling next week, so this makes six wells that are in active operation at the present time, and several other companies will be sinking wells before January 1.

The Pagosa Land and Oil company have made good headway the past week. They have less than 250 feet to run out when they will be in the heart of the oil sand. This well will be a good producer. The Colorado Mutual Coal and Oil company is now down about 350 feet and are still drilling a 10-inch hole. They have encountered plenty of gas and the indications are for a first-class well.—(Pagosa Springs News.

IDAHO SPRINGS DISTRICT.

A number of parties are working up Mill creek at Dumont with energy which will surely bring results. The Kokomo-Pioneer company has wide and great bodies uncovered in the Pioneer; the Eastern and Western company has opened into ore worth $50 a ton in the Elm City tunnel started to cut the Chicago Bell mine, the Happy Thought tunnel is being driven ahead by P. R. Stanhope as is the Crane tunnel for the promising group of lodes lying a short distance ahead. Pete Morrison is pushing his tunnel to the south to cut the lodes lying in the ridge between Mill creek and Chicago creek. The Kaverne people are driving their tunnel at the mouth of Mill creek to reach the Kaverne mine, while many parties have been delving for the wide sulphide lodes which lay near the head of Mill creek. That section cannot possibly fail in its production of mineral. Some capital is needed to open these veins.

BURNS-MOORE The crosscut is pushing ahead at the rate of five feet per day. The new plant of machinery is working fine and the water power is ample unless the weather should turn very cold. Dr. Shaller is very much pleased with the operation of the new air drills. It is understood that a move is on foot to add a number of other claims to the group making it one of the most important in the district. The ores in the Burns-Moore are richer than any other section. Nearly every mine on its line is a producer of almost exclusively high grade mineral.

The Massachusetts company of which W. A. Haggott is manager, has opened into a rich streak of ore in the third level about 100 feet south of the shaft. The values are not stated but this vein is known for some high grade ore and it is safe to say that the mineral now coming from the Extension property is good for almost $100 per ton. The richer streak is 18 inches wide. Very little is said regarding the work on this property although Manager Haggott has been steadily at work opening up ore bodies and doing development work. The Extension has been producing for many years, first under Colonel Ohlston, who owned the group for a long time, then by the present company which put in a powerful gasoline hoist and erected a commodious shaft house. Sinking of the shaft near the end line was commenced with a view of connecting with the three adits which had been continued into this territory from the old Freeland mine.

The Omar Gold Mining and Tunnel company has been organized by Colorado Springs people to operate the Holland and other claims up Fall river. The Gazette reporter visited the property two years ago and examined the showing. The vein in the tunnel is very wide, in fact so wide that it is difficult to carry it without heavy timbers. The ores are gold, silver and lead, but mostly of milling values, but had not been worked for 30 years until recently. The section is very promising and great chunks of quartz from that locality are filled with free gold. Many of the lodes from Gilpin county are found coming into Clear Creek county along the line of the Omar property and it seems to appear to mining men that this will become one of the excellent propositions of the district. Over a year ago a prospector was showing the writer a piece of gold float from that section that section that would run 100 ounces in gold to the ton. He stated that he was unable to find the vein. The present crowd examined the surface and decided upon driving a tunnel which will find the lodes and solve the problem of deep mining.—(Mining Gazette.

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We have every kind of dress luxury that fashion and common sense can suggest for boys and men.

Boys' lined gloves, 50c to $1.25.

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Everything a boy wears. No shoes.

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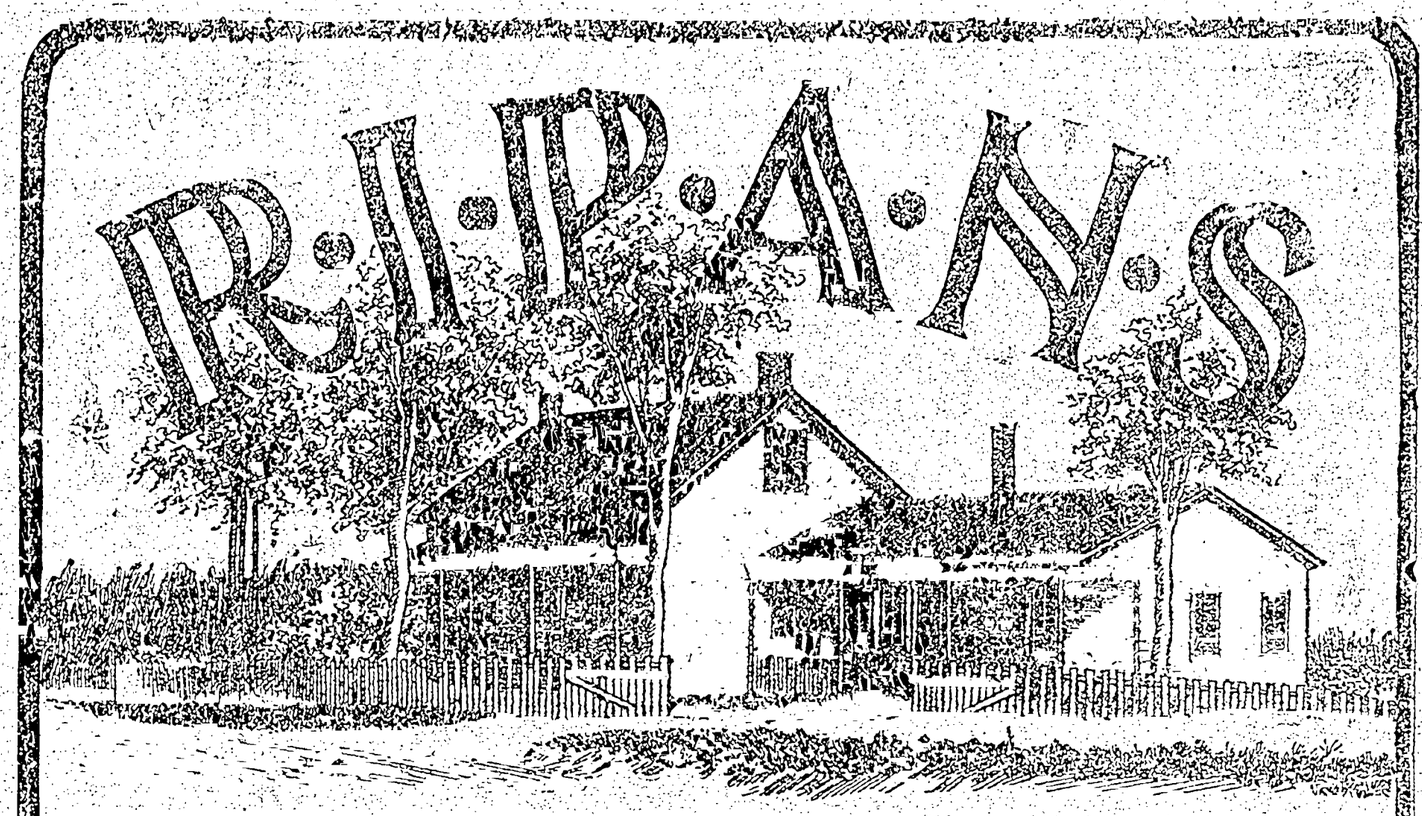
A CHRISTMAS NIGHTMARE.

Just suppose that the toys had a grand celebration and hung their tree with boys and girls! My! My!!



Mrs. S. C. Warner's Remarkable Testimonial.

One of the most convincing testimonials to the efficiency of RIPANS TABULES as a positive cure for all stomach troubles is given by Mrs. S. C. Warner, whose home is situated about 4½ miles north of the city of Burlington, Vermont.

Mrs. Warner is a long-time resident of the city and is well and favorably known in the community. Her testimony is direct and strong, and can be easily verified. She says: "I will be sixty-one years old next April, and all my life had been a great sufferer with dyspepsia and indigestion. Up to three years ago I was sure that nothing would help me, as I had tried almost every known remedy, none giving me much relief. One day my family physician, Dr. Lund, told me to try RIPANS TABULES, as he had found them of great benefit in several obstinate cases of indigestion and dyspepsia. I will say candidly that I had little faith in them or in any other medicine when I began taking the TABULES. Much to my surprise, I felt better within a day, and was soon greatly relieved. I kept taking them and continued to improve. I felt like a new woman, and my neighbors and friends saw a great change for the better in my health.

"Dyspepsia runs in the family; my mother had it for years, and other relatives have suffered tortures with it. I can't say too much in favor of RIPANS TABULES. Before I began taking them I could eat nothing but the very plainest food a little bread and butter and tea being my principal diet for a long time. Especially was this true at night, and when I ate of something at all rich I quickly suffered in consequence. Now this is all changed. If I desire to eat anything extra for supper cake, pie or other delicacies I simply take a TABULE at meal time and before I retire. I feel perfectly safe in taking them and have never been troubled in the least.

"Then at dinner I can eat almost anything with impunity. Last summer I wanted a strawberry shortcake. For years I could not eat a piece of shortcake. You know, to be good it should be rich, and I am exceedingly fond of it made so. However, I always suffered much if I dared touch any. Well, as I was saying, last Summer I wanted some and thought I would chance it, knowing of what benefit the TABULES had been to me. I ate some, and found that it agreed with me perfectly.

"Of course I take the TABULES regularly and just as directed on the box, at every meal and before going to bed. I don't know how many boxes I have taken several hundred at least, and I would not be without them for anything. A year or so ago I did stop taking them for a time, but concluded to begin again, they were of so much benefit. I like the popular five-cent boxes, with ten in a box, the best.

"Some of the neighbors have laughed at me for having so much faith in the TABULES, saying that I had more faith in them than I had in God; but of course this is not so. I have always been subject to bad sick headaches until I began taking the TABULES, and you don't know what a relief it is to be entirely free from these. It is truly wonderful the change it has made in me. My friends tell me I look and act twenty-five years younger. I have been a widow nineteen years and have had five children. They have all been helped by taking RIPANS TABULES, and I can't say too much in praise of the remedy.

"MRS. S. C. WARNER."

Corroborated by Her Physician.

Dr. W. E. Lund, a leading physician of Burlington, Vt., in an interview said:

"I have recommended RIPANS TABULES to my patients on many occasions as an excellent remedy for stomach troubles. I am a busy man, and am frequently stopped on the street by patients who suffer from dyspepsia and indigestion and desire me to treat them. Instead of stopping to write a prescription I simply say: 'Take RIPANS TABULES.' They do so and are relieved."

"Did you recommend the TABULES to Mrs. S. C. Warner?"

"I believe I did, although I have recommended them so often that I don't remember. Mrs. Warner is my patient. I consider the TABULES a simple and effective medicine for all stomach troubles."

There is scarcely any condition of ill-health that is not benefited by the occasional use of a R.I.P.A.N.S.Tabule, and the price, ten for 5 cents, does not bar them from any home or justify anyone in enduring ills that are easily cured. A family bottle containing 150 tabules is sold for 60 cents. For children the chocolate coated sort.

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Regular Prices of admission.

Reserved seats on sale at the Santa Fe Ticket office.

OPERA HOUSE

CHRISTMAS ATTRACTION

Wednesday, December 25

MATINEE AND NIGHT.

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PLAYS TO BE PRESENTED.

MATINEE

"MARY STUART"

EVENING

"HENRY VIII"

Matinee performance begins at 2:30.

PRICES OF ADMISSION.

Matinee—25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00.
Evening—50c, $1.00, $1.50, $2.00.

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DESPERATE FIGHT NEAR THE CANON

Nationalities Were Badly Involved in a Serious Cutting Scrape and Brawl Friday Night.

A number of laborers at work on the new Cheyenne canon extension of the Colorado Springs & Suburban railway indulged in a desperate drunken brawl Friday night. Four of the men were badly beaten and cut and left this vicinity yesterday for fear of arrest.

There are about 20 laborers in the gang. They have been working on the new steel bridges below Camp Harding, and it was there the trouble occurred. Some of the men had been drinking, and about 7:30 Friday night the row started. There were six men in the combat, which continued at intervals for four hours. During that time two Italians, a Spaniard and an Irishman were badly injured. Fists and knives were the weapons and when some of the peacefully inclined workmen stopped the brawl the four men were all cut, bruised and bleeding.

There was no one about the place to dress the wounds of the injured ones and they made a round of the residences in the vicinity, asking to be taken in and cared for. They frightened a number of women, and as they were drunk they were turned away from every house they visited.

Yesterday the four men, two of whose injuries are reported to have been serious, left town, fearing arrest. The people living in Cheyenne valley and vicinity were indignant about the disturbance. The fight occurred outside the city limits, but was not reported to the sheriff.

Plans of Outgoing County Officeholders

According to Sheriff Don Goddard and County Assessor Matthew Layden, who retire from office January 11, neither has decided what business he will take up as a non-officeholder. Mr. Goddard was in the clothing business before the fascination of politics won him, and Mr. Layden was a mining man in Cripple Creek.

Mr. Goddard returned from a visit to Chicago Friday. He said he enjoyed his trip.

"I have not decided what I will do when I retire from office," said the sheriff yesterday. "I will not go into the clothing business again. One thing is sure, however, and that is that I am out of politics."

Mr. Layden, who lived in Cripple Creek before becoming assessor for his first term, said that he would still keep his residence in Colorado Springs. He has lived here for some time.

"I think I will teach the people the art of paying taxes," said Mr. Layden. "I have not decided upon anything else yet."

Mesa Vegetation Was Threatened by Fire

Had not General W. J. Palmer sent three men from Glen Eyrie to fight a prairie fire on top of the mesa yesterday shortly after noon, it is likely that the magnificent drive over this table land today would reveal nothing but an unbroken expanse of blackened ground.

The three workmen from Glen Eyrie, however, succeeded in extinguishing the fire when only a few acres had been burged over and General Palmer this morning is offering a reward of $100 for the arrest and conviction of those who, from carelessness or design, set fire to the grass.

The Mesa road has long been one of the finest drives that Colorado Springs people have been able to take. The grade is easy from the top of the hill east of Glen Eyrie to Colorado Springs and the road is a great favorite with the wheelmen as well as persons driving. It is also the most direct road from Glen Eyrie, General Palmer's home, to Colorado Springs. During the past summer General Palmer has spent a great deal of effort and no small amount of money, giving this drive the attention that it needed to make it even more enjoyable than it has ever yet been. To transform the natural surface of the mesa, with its added attractiveness, due to the setting out of shrubs, into a blackened expanse of ground is a serious matter, and General Palmer will undoubtedly have the cooperation of the people of the city in his effort to have the beauty of the drive preserved.

Your Chance

Large Sterling Silver Puff boxes 1.25

Ladies' and Gent's pearl handled gold trimmed umbrellas, $5 upwards.

Solid gold Ladies' and Gent's cuff buttons 2.00

Genuine Sterling Hemstitched manicure sets 75c

A beautiful line of gold plated photo frames 75c

Chating Dishes, $5.50 and upwards.

Boys' watches, $1.50 to 7.00

Monday bargains

Goodspeed & Co....

WARD SPENDS BIG MONEY FOR NEW SODA FOUNTAIN

A. Jae Ward has purchased a fine new onyx soda fountain for his drug store. The fountain will be installed as soon as he and W. G. Jones, who will lease the old mining exchange building, have completed improvements on the structure.

"The new fountain cost $1,000," said Mr. Ward yesterday. "It will be the finest in the city."

COLLEGE BOYS (?) WANT AN INVITE

Six Colorado college students, who have no homes where they may enjoy the festivities of Christmas, are looking for a Christmas dinner. Yesterday they inserted the following self-explanatory "want" ad in the Gazette:

"WANTED—Some philanthropic lady or gentleman to invite six college orphans to Xmas dinner. P. D. Q."

If those "college orphans" do not get one of the finest Christmas dinners in Colorado Springs it is not their fault. The "ad" does not say whether the hungry orphans are young men, young women or whether there are both young men and women in the homeless crowd.

There is much pathos in the little "ad." And the sly "orphans" deserve as happy a Christmas as they will get.

OPEN CARS WERE WELL PATRONIZED

The open "trailers" were again put on the Canon line of the street railway system yesterday. The "trailers" were taken off over a week ago when the cold weather began.

While the cars were in the shops they were repainted, and yesterday they presented a fresh appearance. The weather was so fine yesterday that the passengers in this line preferred the open cars, and the closed ones had few passengers.

It's only 50 cents one-way, 80 cents round-trip, limit five days from date of sale, to Cripple Creek District points via THE SHORT LINE.

25 cents to Cripple Creek by the Colorado Midland railway.

COMPLETING THE WAHSATCH LINE

Suburban Company Employes Are Stringing Trolley Wire Supports --To Operate April 1.

Work is progressing rapidly on the completion of the Wahsatch avenue extension of the Colorado Springs and Suburban company's street railway system and cars will be in operation on this line to the northeast section of the city before the first of April.

This announcement did not come from Mr. Stratten's office and it could not be wholly verified there yesterday. It came to the Gazette in a reliable manner, however, and there is a strong belief in the minds of a good many people directly interested that this is the case.

The work of stringing the cross wires that run across the street from pole to pole to support the copper trolley wires has been going on for several days and the work is complete from Pike's Peak avenue north over the course of the extension to a point north of Nevada street. A force of about six men is at work putting up the wires.

As soon as this is completed the insulated supports or hangers for the trolley wire will be placed and the trolley wire, which will then be hung, will complete the line and make it ready for operation.

The course of the route to the northeast, the El Paso street line, has been changed in one detail. It was intended to run it from Wahsatch to El Paso on Bijou, but the route has been changed from Bijou to Platte avenue. The property holders on Platte avenue have signed the papers consenting to the building of the line on that avenue and it is regarded as altogether more advantageous.

These extensions will be ready for operation before the company is ready to operate them. The cars will not be started until the new power station in the south end is completed, the present power capacity of the company being insufficient to operate the lines.

A THOUSAND FOR CHARITY

This Was General Palmer's Christmas Gift to Local Organization Yesterday.

The Associated Charities received a Christmas present of a check for $1,000 from General Palmer yesterday, and as a result it will be enabled to carry out at once some plans that have been contemplated for some time that have had to wait because of a lack of funds.

The old jail building, in which the headquarters of the organization is located, will be altered and improved in some particulars, affording conveniences for the use of women who desire to do work there and for children who come upon the organization for temporary care and protection. There will be a complete laundry outfit installed, this being one of the greatest necessities of the organization at present.

Another branch of the work that will now be instituted that has been in contemplation for some time is that of having always at hand a visiting nurse who can be dispatched to places of need on short notice. There will be one nurse constantly engaged in work for the Associated Charities and it is expected that it will be necessary to employ more than one later. This is a branch of the work that has been tried in some cities and found to be one of the most valuable branches ever established.

The improvements that are now possible by this gift will be made at once and the organization will have the added departments within two weeks.

Footman's Escape in a Runaway Accident

A team of horses belonging to Mr. Butler Williamson ran away on the Mesa road last night and nearly caused the death of Mr. Williamson's footman. The runaways collided with a telephone pole after the footman had been thrown from the rig, a top buggy, and the buggy was demolished. The horses ran on, and up to a late hour last night only one of them had been found.

The footman was exercising the team when the runaway occurred. He had driven across the Rio Grande tracks on the Mesa road, when the horses became frightened at a passing train, and started west along the road. The footman was thrown out and landed head first in the road. S. J. Bratton, who saw him thrown, said last night he thought the man was killed. But the footman was made of sterner stuff. He soon recovered from the effects of his tumble, and found that he had escaped only a few bruises.

The footman immediately started on a hunt for the horses. He found that they had run against a telephone pole near the residence of Willard Hemenway. The rig had been demolished, but the horses had evidently been uninjured. They were nowhere to be seen, and the footman started out to find them. He found one of them out on the Mesa late at night and gave up the hunt for the other.

High School Cadet Guns Have Arrived

One hundred brand new Springfield rifles, for the use of the High School cadets, arrived in this city yesterday. The new guns, which are of up-to-date pattern, will be used by the school battalion at its first drill after the Christmas holidays.

The rifles were inspected immediately upon their arrival by W. E. Evans, military instructor at the school, Major Randolph of the battalion, and W. C. Robinson, who had charge of the raising of the popular fund for the purchase of the guns. Only one of the rifles was found to be defective, but it was not in bad condition.

The bayonets also arrived here yesterday and all were found to be perfect. The belts and bayonet scabbards have not yet been shipped. The guns, bayonets and scabbards were bought in New York.

The members of the battalion were elated last night when they heard that the rifles had arrived. They said they would show their appreciation by turning out a fine battalion in the spring. The guns were bought by popular subscription and are the property of the school board according to the terms of the subscriptions.

Owing to the fact that the battalion had no rifles, the boys have been drilled only in foot movements up to the present time. They have this part of the drill down fine, but are tired of the monotony of it and the guns are more than welcome.

ATKINSON BUILDS APARTMENT HOUSE

The foundation is in for an apartment house at the corner of Utah street and Nevada avenue. The house is being put up by Mr. Lyon S. Atkinson, the well-known contractor.

It is to be a large structure to rest in the neighborhood of $10,000. The work of excavating was done some little time ago and the foundation has already been laid. The first floor is in and everything is ready for the superstructure, which will be put up without delay. It will be one of the largest houses in the city, and is being built to meet the demand which is sure to come when the summer season begins. There is one apartment house in the city now, and this has proved a big success, and Mr. Atkinson feels no doubt about having his house full most of the time.

THE FINEST ON WHEELS

FAIRLEY BROTHERS AND FAIRLEY'S HANDSOME WAGON.

Is a Colorado Springs Product and Reflects Great Credit Upon Makers and Owners Alike.

Fairley Brothers & Fairley are rejoicing in the possession of a new wagon, which, for beauty and workmanship, is the finest of the kind. In addition, it has the merit of being a home product, being manufactured in Colorado Springs, by Herb Loesch.

It was designed by Fairley Brothers, and is of original make. The body of the wagon is of hickory wood, except the panels, which are of ash. It has platform gear, and Concord express axles. The springs are oil tempered, and the iron work is of finest Norway iron, hand polished. The finishing and lettering were done by J. N. Klein of West Huerfano street. It is finished in natural wood color, and the iron work is finished in aluminum. The letters are in silver, accentuated by two shades of red. The wagon is a great credit to the firm that made it and to Fairley Brothers' who own it.

It was used for the first time yesterday.

TODAY'S CONCERT AT THE ALAMO HOTEL

The program for today's concert at the Alamo hotel is as follows:

Overture—"The Califf of Bagdad" ..... Boieldieu
(a) "Let Me Dream Again" (song) ..... Sullivan
(b) "The Flame" ..... Faure
"The Bohemian Girl" (entr'acte) ..... Benedict
Idylle—"Pure As Snow" ..... Lange
PART II.
Overture—"Merry Wives of Windsor" ..... Nicolai
Trio—Piano, Violin and Violoncello—"Peer Gynt," Suite 1 ..... Grieg
"Narcissus" ..... Nevin
Selection—"Carmen" ..... Bizzet
Edwin Streitch, musical director.

PERSONAL MENTION

W. H. Dolan of Cripple Creek is in the city.

G. R. Inglis of Kansas City was at the Antlers yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sey Mitchell of Chicago are registered at the Alamo.

Frank Funk and Miss Mary Funk of Aspen are guests at the Alta Vista.

Mr. and Mrs. James Boyd and Miss Boyd of Buffalo are spending the winter at the Alamo.

Jerome James of London is here again for the winter. He is registered at the Alta Vista.

E. A. Rothgerber and C. M. Nicholson of Denver were registered at the Antlers yesterday.

William E. Hutton, a well-known mining lawyer of Denver, was a guest at the Alamo yesterday.

R. Lobenstein went to Sedalia yesterday to visit his relatives during the Christmas holiday season.

E. H. Lamb of Denver is spending the week of holiday in the city. He is stopping at the Alta Vista.

F. D. Foster, A. G. Swem, C. E. Illingwalt and A. L. Bonds of Victor were at the Spaulding house yesterday.

Denver arrivals at the Alamo yesterday were: C. M. Lattimer, Louis Guerra, J. E. Hammond, Mrs. Harry Hickman and Mrs. McGovern.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Murphy, who play to Denver next week, were in the city yesterday taking in the scenic sights. They were at the Antlers.

George H. Bond of Manitou, the well-known real estate and insurance man, leaves today for a trip to Louisville, Ky. He will be away until January 7.

Harold G. Mitchell, who is a student at Berkeley, Calif., is in the city for the holidays. He is visiting with his mother, Mrs. A. H. Mitchell, of 1209 North Tejon street.

J. D. Major, a well-known mining man of Cheyenne is at the Spaulding house. His family is expected down from Canada this week. They will probably locate here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Oliver, who were married in Denver during the latter part of the week, are spending their honeymoon in the city. Mrs. Oliver was Miss Tarsney, daughter of former Attorney-General Tarsney. They are staying at the Alamo.

AMENDED ARTICLES—A copy of the article of amendment to the charter of the Colorado Telephone company was filed for record yesterday in the office of the county clerk. The articles of incorporation of the company were amended at a meeting of the stockholders in Denver on December 9. The capital stock was increased from $3,000,000 to $5,000,000.

CHRISTMAS AT THE TOWN AND GOWN CLUB

There is great interest in the series of events arranged by the Town and Gown club for Christmas day. The program includes two golf tournaments and a bowling tournament.

At 10 o'clock in the morning a nine-hole foursome golf tournament will begin. According to the terms of the match, all entries must be in tomorrow. Each contestant selects his partner. Prizes will be awarded to the winners, as in the other tournaments for the day.

The afternoon golf match is to be a nine-hole handicap tournament, entries to close Tuesday. The bowling tournament will last all day. It will be a handicap, as the other events.

Cured of Piles Where Knife Failed.

Amos Crocker of Worcester writes: After going through a frightful surgical operation and after trying any number of salves and ointments, one 50c box of Pyramid Pile Cure gave speedy relief and it quickly cured me. All druggists sell the Little book, "Piles, Causes and Cure," mailed free. Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich.

MR. PROUDFIT WAS TAKEN TO GLOCKNER

Mr. John W. Proudfit, who is suffering from concussion of the brain as the result of a runaway accident on Monday night, was taken from the residence of Mr. E. F. Castello yesterday to the Glockner sanitarium. His brother arrived from the east and will remain with him. Mr. Proudfit's condition is serious, and has not changed since the accident.

MACLAREN WILL DESIGN A CANON CITY CHURCH

Mr. T. Maclaren, the well-known architect of this city, has been authorized by the vestry of Christ church, Canon City, to prepare plans for their new church.

The new church is to be a stone structure to accommodate 200 persons, and plans will be drawn with a view to adding a porch later in the future. The building is to be located at the corner of Harrison avenue and Eighth street and will be a handsome addition to the buildings of that pretty city.

25 cents to Cripple Creek by the Colorado Midland railway.

SPEND CHRISTMAS AT HOME.

One fare for the round trip via Colorado & Southern Dec. 24, 25, 31 and Jan. 1.

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1500 Volumes in Two Days

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1000 Volumes of Books for Boys and Girls at 25c a Volume.

Cloth binding, good paper, clear print.

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Well bound book; $1.00 in book stores.

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A great list of titles. A good value for $1.00; sold in book stores at $1.00. We expect a big business on these, Monday and Tuesday.

OUR GREAT HANDKERCHIEF SALE

Best Values at 5c 10c 15c 20c 25c 30c

All linen hemstitch, embroidered initial handkerchiefs, regular 35c value. Embroidered border fine cambric handkerchiefs in values up to 50c. Every width in fine linen hemstitch handkerchiefs in 30 to 35c values. All at one price Monday and that price the lowest ever made in this town on equal values at this season of the year. Monday, pick them out for

25c EACH

Decorated Handkerchief Box Free With $1.00 Purchase.

Best Values at 5c 10c 15c 20c 25c 30c

35c 40c 50c 60c $1.00 75c 60c 50c 40c 35c

Dress Goods for Gift Purposes. Special Prices for This Occasion. Big Saving on Patterns.

$24 pattern suits this sale, each $17.50
$20 pattern suits this sale, each 15.00
$15 pattern suits this sale, each 11.00
$10 pattern suits this sale, each 7.00

$1.25 cloth suitings, this sale, per yd 98c
$1.25 poplins and whip cords, this sale, per yd 98c
75c melrose suitings, this sale, per yd 59c
60c covert cloth, this sale, per yd 50c

Silks 69 — At this price all of our best colored taffetas and a large line of fancy silks, formerly $1.00.

Silks 89 — At this price our guaranteed black taffeta, the best $1.00 silk on the market.

Silks $1.00 — At this price our fancy waist silks, formerly sold up to $1.50.

Silks $1.25 — At this price all our finest waist silks, ranging from $1.75 to $3.00 values.

$150 WORTH OF TOYS, DOLLS AND GAMES FREE

To holders of our Gift Tickets. We give tickets with purchases in all departments Monday and Tuesday the last chance to secure tickets.

KID GLOVES

The kind you like to give to your friends. The very newest things always. Most desirable shades in the finest.

$1.00 Glove

on the market. Better grades at $1.50, $1.75, $2.00 and $2.25.

Golf gloves, Scotch gloves, silk or wool mittens in full assortment.

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The prices on these are so low it is like giving them away. Price, $1.00 to $5.00.

Ladies' Fleece Lined Hose, were 50c, now 25c.

Ladies' and Children's Fleece Lined Underwear, vests, pants and union suits, only 25c.

Ladies' and Children's Double Silk Mittens, 35c per pair.

Infants' Wrappers, pure wool, only 39c.

Ladies' Handkerchiefs, 5c to 50c.

Men—Look at This

Health underwear, pure wool fleece. Was $1.00 a garment, now 48c.
Fancy box candies, only 15c per box.
Fancy dresser Scarfs and doilies to match, 48c.
Double table damask—Best Irish linen. Was $1 per yard, now 59c

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4½ cents per day saved for a short time will put you in possession of a $1,000 home. Your payments will then be a little less than 15c per day and no interest.

Twice the above amounts for a $2,000 home and three times the amounts for a $3,000 home.

Remember you live in your home, pay no interest and the payments you make each month would be less than you now pay for rent.

Your payments made for you when sick or out of employment. In case of death or total disability a clear deed or title is given.

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GOOD AGENTS WANTED to work for us NOW; liberal terms, easy, pleasant employment; ladies or gentlemen. Call for information. Best plan ever offered anywhere. Warden & Clark, state managers for the American Home Investment Co., 26 S. Tejon st.

WANTED—Partner to put one of greatest labor-saving machines on market; will bear investigation. Call on P. A. Hardwick, 15 El Paso boulevard, Arensdale, or address Box 2..., Colorado City.

WANTED—Young people to know that the Gulnn Commercial College, at 109 N. Tejon st., is the best place to learn bookkeeping, shorthand, typewriting, etc. J. C. Henager, Prin. Phone 87.

MEN—We teach the barber trade in 8 weeks, furnish tools, board and guarantee positions. Write for particulars. Moler's Barber College, 165 Larimer, Denver.

WANTED—A candy salesman for wholesale house. Only those with experience and good recommendations need apply. Address Y 98, Gazette.

WANTED—Ladies to learn hairdressing trade; write for particulars. Moler's Hairdressing College, 205 Charles Block, Denver, Colo.

S. B. SCHOLZ,
NOTARY PUBLIC.
12 PIKE'S PEAK AVE.

WANTED—Young girl to care for two children. Apply at 230 N. Tejon, between 10 and 12 a. m.

WANTED—Two or 3 good boys to carry paper routes. Inquire Gazette mailing room at 3 p. m.

GOOD woman cook, white, for Cripple Creek. Mrs. Farrar, DeGraff Bldg.

GOOD woman cook for boarding house. Mrs. Farrar, DeGraff Bldg.

GIRL wants light housework. 418 E. Cucharras.

2 girls rooms, unfurnished. 230 N. Prospect.

WANTED SITUATIONS.

A WOMAN experienced in sickness would like an invalid to care for in family of two; nice, sunny room. Address Mrs. H. St., Gazette office.

WANTED—Private work by thoroughly competent masseuse and hairdresser. Address 410 N. Nevada. Phone black 51.

WANTED—Position with mining company in Mexico; have had experience in that country. Address A, Gazette.

SITUATION by Swedish nurse for child or invalid; well trained in massage. 630 E. St. Vrain st.

WANTED—Position as companion or governess; English, French and German. Y 91, Gazette.

POSITION as private correspondent; good composer and penman. Address P. O. Box 765.

BY LADY of experience, as caretaker of residence; references; address Y 96, Gazette.

SITUATION wanted by first-class cook; best references; 819 E. Huerfano.

WANTED—Dressmaking by the day; work guaranteed. 125 S. Nevada.

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED.
TEN TEAMS TO HAUL COAL—STEADY WORK.
AT ONCE.
PIKE'S PEAK COAL CO.
112 PIKE'S PEAK AVE.

WANTED—You to rent the late books, 10 cents each; 5,000 books of all kinds for sale or exchange; bring any old book and exchange it at McCauley's, 127½ E. Huerfano st. I will give away during holidays 500 daily papers.

FOR SALE—I will sell my equity in a fine North Corona lot for $175 in cash, or balance on easy payments. The price will be made an object to you. Address W. F. H., P. O. Box 582.

WANTED Horses to pasture, $1 month; fenced for and delivered free; 4,000 acres; feed reserved for winter. C. E. Furman, 15 S. Tejon, or tel. 568.

SOME philanthropic lady or gentleman to invite six college orphans to Xmas dinner. P. D. Q., Gazette.

WANTED $5,000 worth of second hand furniture; highest cash price paid. 19 E. Cascade ave.

HORSES taken for pasturage, $1 per month. Enquire J. W. Coffey, Room 3, Barnes Bldg.

WANTED—Horses and mules at Pike's Peak Livery, Colo. City. I. Fisher.

WANTED Sewing machine at once; must be cheap. 440 Pike's Peak.

REPAIRS for any stove or furnace. W. S. Russell, 108 E. Huerfano st.

CENTS per 100 lbs for rags. L. Stine, 107 and 101 S. Conejos st.

SCHADEHOUSER, Bicycle Repairing, 5 Cascade.

TO TRADE.

TO TRADE—A good farm of 120 acres for mining stock or equity in good Colorado Springs property.
RIEDEL, TORREY & CO.,
Exchange Bank Block.

TO RENT FURNISHED ROOMS.

THE ORMONDE. Just opened, handsomely furnished rooms, steam heat, baths and all conveniences; reasonable rates for the winter. No. 19 N. S. Cascade.

FURNISHED rooms, steam heat, light, bath, opposite main entrance to new court house; reasonable for the winter. 218 S. Tejon st.

TO RENT—2 nicely furnished front rooms, electric light, bath and gas; heat; reasonable. Miss Jackson, 28 S. Tejon.

TO RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; electric light, gas, bath; close in. 32 S. Wahsatch ave.

TO RENT—2 rooms furnished for sleeping or housekeeping; desirable location. 830 Jefferson ave., Colo. City.

FOR RENT—Furnished, large front room suitable for two gentlemen. 216 N. Weber.

TO RENT—Nice room on first floor; electric lights and bath. Mrs. Gray, 221 S. Weber.

SUNNY room with private entrance, close in; cheap for winter. No. 20 East Vrain.

FINE, comfortable room with outside and inside entrance. 15 Boulder Crescent.

ONE to 4 rooms, light housekeeping or otherwise, reasonable. 1002 Lincoln ave.

TWO or three furnished rooms, housekeeping, very close in. 17 E. Vermijo.

TO RENT—2 nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping at 402 S. Nevada ave.

TWO furnished rooms for housekeeping, with bath; 108½ N. Wahsatch ave.

FURNISHED room for two gentlemen, outside entrance; 20 S. Tejon street.

NICE housekeeping rooms cheap, partly furnished. 16 N. Sierra Madre st.

FRONT room, ground floor, suitable for office or sleeping. 110 N. Nevada.

TO RENT—Two rooms for light housekeeping, cheap. 708 N. Pikes st.

A NICE room, steam heated 3 blocks north. Inquire 115 E. Kiowa.

FURNISHED rooms for rent; modern house. 514 N. Wahsatch ave.

NICE, sunny furnished room, bath, etc., rent $10. 15 E. Platte ave.

TWO and 3 furnished rooms, $8 and $10 per month. 5 E. Kiowa.

TO RENT—Furnished room for housekeeping, 215 N. Cascade.

TWO sunny rooms, light housekeeping. 1004 N. Wahsatch ave.

TWO sunny front rooms, downstairs. 214 Pike's Peak ave.

TO RENT—One room for housekeeping. 404 E. Kiowa.

FURNISHED rooms for housekeeping. 216 N. Weber.

TWO-front rooms with kitchen, $17. 26 N. Nevada.

THREE rooms housekeeping, cheap. 502 E. Kiowa.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, 32 N. Wahsatch.

TWO light housekeeping rooms; 534 East Platte.

TO RENT—Nicely furnished, 215 E. St. Vrain.

PLEASANT furnished rooms, 1125 N. Nevada.

TWO sunny rooms, 215 Cheyenne ave.

TO RENT FURNISHED HOUSES.

NEW 8-room house on N. Corona; furnace, bath and electric lights; $30 per month. Inquire 221 S. Wahsatch.

NEW 2-room cottage, newly furnished, electric light, water in house, close in. 20 E. St. Vrain st.

NEW 2-room cottage, furnished for sleeping or housekeeping. 508 S. Sahwatch.

FOUR-ROOM cottage, new, $20. Mullaney, 8 Midland, Blk. 729 Cache la Poudre.

TO RENT—5-room furnished cottage; bath, closet, etc. 1027 N. Corona st.

TO RENT—3-room cottage, furnished; modern conveniences. 424 E. Platte.

5-ROOM modern cottage, fully furnished, with bath. 223 E. Willamette ave.

FURNISHED, modern, furnace, ranges, grate, electricity. 523 N. Corona.

TWO-ROOM TENT, 1004 N. Wahsatch.

TO RENT UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

SUITE of 3 rooms for housekeeping; heated; ground floor. 712 N. Tejon.

LARGE, pleasant rooms, 15 E. Willamette ave.

TO RENT 6 rooms. 21 E. Bijou.

TO RENT UNFURNISHED HOUSES.

TO RENT—7-room new modern cottage, cheap; 1005 block North Wahsatch. Address or call 528 N. Nevada, any time.

TO RENT—8-room house with range, heating stoves, hot and cold water and bath. 232 N. Franklin st.

TO RENT—Unfurnished 5-room cottage, No. 1... Lincoln ave., range, bath and closets. $25. T. A. Hart.

TO RENT—5 rooms, unfurnished, modern, fine location, near car line. Address Y 77, Gazette.

TO RENT—Modern cottage, 6 rooms; also the furniture for sale; new. 1725 N. Nevada.

TO RENT—5-room house at No. 417 N. Cook st.; see owner at 111 S. Cascade ave.

FOR RENT—7-room house, new, modern. Apply Dr. Mary Wagner, 506 East Platte.

TO RENT—7-room, all modern conveniences; cheap. Inquire 124 E. Weber.

TO RENT—4-room house; 1100 block north, $15. John Hill, rear 211 N. Cascade.

TO RENT UNFURNISHED.

HOUSES.

NEW 4-room cottage, modern, $20. 417 E. San Miguel. A. West.

TO RENT—Barn. Inquire at 224 E. Willamette.

5-room house. Inquire at Rumstead's.

TO RENT BUSINESS.

TO RENT—Shoe shop, furnished, cheap; good trade. 511½ Colo. ave., Colo. City.

SUITE of 2 front office rooms, to rent in Barnes Bldg. Address Y-94, Gazette.

TO RENT—Desk room in front office with use of vault. 2 Gazette Bldg.

TWO stores. Antlers hotel. Apply manager.

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Furniture of 14-room rooming house; nice and full of roomers; low rent, close in.

FOR SALE—Bargain in a modern 10-room residence, North Tejon st.; terms very easy, location very fine.

FOR SALE—Small residence, 2 rooms, bath, cellar, lot 25x75 ft., south front, near car and line location, $1,500; $400 cash, balance $15 month; rents now for $15.

FOR SALE—Elegant modern residence, west side, 6 rooms, corner lot; near Washington school.

Bargains in property large or small, any part of city you desire; terms to suit you. Call and talk it over.
W. L. DAWSON & CO.,
115½ Pike's Peak Ave.

DON'T OVERLOOK THIS.
FOR SALE.
SNAP IN LOT—CLOSE IN.
$450.
MUST BE SOLD.
HUNTER & CELL,
121 S. TEJON STREET.

A 5-ROOM AND BATH HOME ON EASY PAYMENTS; lot 40x165 feet; good large cellar, wired for electric lights, faces west on Institute st. in the 1100 block; we will sell this new home for $2,100, $100 down and monthly installments of $20 each. Let us show you this bargain. Hastings Bros., 22 N. Tejon st.

FOR SALE or trade for a cheap house or lot, a team, harness, 2 wagons, 2 plows, 2 slips, shovels, picks, etc. Also a horse, buggy and harness. Address M. Shelby, No. 8, McKinley Place, Colo. Spgs.

FOR SALE—I will sell my equity in a fine North Corona lot for $175 in cash, and balance on easy payments. The price will be made an object to you. Address W. F. H., P. O. Box 582.

FOR SALE—Light runabout and harness, wagon and box, roll-top desk; also one Monarch 8-ton wagon scale. The Rugby Fuel and Feed Co., No. 27½ N. Tejon.

FOR SALE $1,025 buys from owner neat cottage, well located. Terms, about $300 cash and balance very easy payments. Room 61 Hagerman Bldg.

FOR SALE—Wash stand, carpet, bedroom china, man's overcoat, W. P. coat, etc.; must be sold this week. 1002 N. Tejon st.

A SNAP—Second-hand upright grand piano. Address H. W. McDaniel, 102 E. Cheyenne road, Roywild.

FOR SALE—Large furnace out of old Methodist church. Address J. F. Thomas, 913 W. P. P. ave.

FOR SALE—Pure-bred Plymouth Rock hens. Inquire of J. W. Coffey, room 3 Barnes Blk.

FOR SALE—Furniture, stove, carpets, good as new, cheap. 506 E. San Miguel.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Genuine Yorkshire terriers. Store 534 P. Peak.

REPAIRS for any stove or furnace. W. S. Russell, 108 E. Huerfano.

BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCK cockerels for sale. 218 S. Tejon st.

BOARD AND ROOMS.

FRONT room, first floor, with board, $20 for two and another $20 for two, with board. Address Y-103, Gazette.

UNDER new management; excellent board, sunny rooms; no invalids. 802 N. Tejon.

NICELY furnished rooms with first-class board very reasonable. 206 S. Wahsatch.

THREE furnished rooms, with or without kitchen privileges, at 432 E. Platte.

LARGE, pleasant rooms and board; bay window and grate. 501 N. Weber.

LARGE pleasant rooms and board, bay window and grate. 501 N. Nevada.

EL NIDO Rooms and desirable home cooking. 18 Boulder Crescent.

TWO large rooms with board. 409 N. Tejon.

HAVE rooms and board at 62 North Weber.

SOUTH rooms with board. 608 N. Nevada.

BOARD, rooms, 106 Caramillo, cor. Tejon.

SOUTH room with board, 1705 N. Tejon.

NEW HOUSE, 514 N. Cascade.

TO LOAN.

We have money to loan on first-class real estate security.
POSITIVELY NO DELAY.
ADAMS & WILLIAMS.

MONEY TO LOAN in sums of $100 to $500 on good personal security for six months to two years; low rate of interest. Geo. L. Torrey, Exchange Bank Block.

MONEY TO LOAN on real estate in sums of $500 to $20,000.
RIEDEL, TORREY & CO.,
Exchange Bank Block.

MONEY TO LOAN on real estate; any amount; lowest rates. W. W. Williamson, 27 N. Tejon st.

MONEY TO LOAN—Any amount, lowest rates. Wm. G. Shapcott, 2 Gazette Bldg.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

FOR SALE.
GROCERY BUSINESS.
New stock; low rent, good trade.
A MONEY-MAKER.
A bargain if taken at once.
Address Y-93, Gazette.

WANTED—Partner with $2,000. Best paying legitimate business in city. Address Y 99, Gazette.

NICE house and poultry yard for sale cheap. Apply 22 W. Cucharras.

$75 TAKES a business clearing $100 per month. Address Y 100 Gazette.

MISCELLANEOUS.

MRS. STONE'S ENGLISH PORK PIES at W. N. Burgess, 112 N. Tejon, and D. W. Smith, 223 N. Weber.

TO LET—Gentle family horse for winter for his keeping. Inquire 1012 N. Weber.

REPAIRS for any stove or furnace. W. S. Russell, 108 E. Huerfano st.

PITCH AND GRAVEL roofing. Engel, 17 Kiowa.

LOST.

LOST—Monday, the 16th, a small package containing a gold pen with mother of pearl handle and black enamel pin with small pearl in center. Return to this office and receive reward.

LOST—Ladies' gold watch, initial M. on case. Finder please return to 221 N. Weber and receive reward.

WILL boy who found nose glasses call at 129 E. Huerfano again.

AUCTION

AUCTION of pawnbroker's unredeemed pledges, watches, clothing, etc., at 8 o'clock this evening. 19 E. Cascade.

AUCTION SALE of 33 head of fine mares and colts, Tuesday, 2 p. m., at Nevada corral, 110 S. Nevada.

FINE large building lots, Holdrege, Neb., for mining stock or ranch. Y-102, Gazette.

EDUCATIONAL.

TUTORING or coaching. Mrs. J. H. Stiver, late professor of mathematics in Occidental college, Los Angeles, Calif., will receive a few students. Call at or address 127 E. Pike's Peak ave.

RENO, the Elks palmist, permanently located 114½ S. Tejon street, room 1; private readings, private lessons; open for evening engagements for entertainments.

FOR SALE HORSES, BICYCLES

FOR SALE—Lady's wheel, in good condition, cheap. 121 Cheyenne ave.

CHRISTMAS PRESENT—Beautiful Shetland pony; $40; 531 E. Platte.

MUSICAL

Gentleman, London Royal Academy of Music, wishes violin pupils. 230 Yampa.

WANTED HOUSES & ROOMS.

WANTED 5 or 6-room house, close in, unfurnished. Address P. O. Box 1294.

CLAIRVOYANT

MADAM ISABELL, clairvoyant, 30 S. Tejon st., rooms 1 and 2.

FURNITURE FOR SALE.

PRIVATE SALE of furniture at 17 E. Caramillo st. Call Monday.

FOUND

FOUND—Bicycle. Call 28 S. Tejon.

FOR SALE REAL ESTATE

THE SOUTH END REALTY CO.
701 S. TEJON ST. 'PHONE 453-A.

5-room house, lot 50x100, close in, on car line, lawn, shade, good stables. Price $1,250; $300 down, balance $10 per month.

4-room house, also 2 rooms, lot 50x190, east front, lawn, shade. Price $1,500; make terms to suit you.

4-room house, modern, bath, lights, sewerage, 38 feet frontage, close in; $600 down, balance 3 years 7 per cent.

2-room house, north end, lot 50x125, lawn, fruit and shade; $300 down, balance easy.

3-room house, cellar, in No. 1 repair; also 4-room house, cellar, lot 45x90, well located. Price $1,800; will entertain any fair offer.

5-room house, pantry and closet, sewer and water, other outbuildings, lot 35x110. Price $1,500.

3-room house, pantry, sewer, water, lot 35x110. Price $1,500.

Money to loan at 6 per cent to 8 per cent on city property.

Several business propositions that will bear investigation. Look these up.
THE SOUTH END REALTY CO.

FOR SALE.
We have one of the finest located lots, close in and a corner, which party wishing to build for a good house north, will pay a cash difference.

A large 8-room modern house, 1000 block N. Tejon st., barn, lawn and everything complete for a good home $7,000

A full lot, 8-room house, with bath, east front, fenced, shade and small barn; 1500 block N. Tejon st. 3,000

A good 7-room modern house, E. Del Norte st., lot 45x100, a bargain at 2,850

We have two good lots, N. Nevada, 50x190 each 500

In the northeast part of town is situated a nice 4-room cottage, new, never been occupied, full lot, west front, which we want to sell you for $150 down, $12.50 per month at 1,400

A good 7-room modern house, E. Monument st., full lot, good barn and lawn, terms to suit 2,500

We have a few good lots left in East Dale addition that will interest you at the prices they are now selling for.
FRANKLIN & JONES,
Phone 157. 2½ North Tejon St.

$17,500—100x190-foot Nevada ave. corner, south of college, improved with a 13-room and a 10-room modern house, leaving full vacant lot. This pays now over 6 per cent net on the investment.

$5,500 80x190-foot South Cascade corner, close in, good 7-room house, splendid location to build on and improve.

$4,500—8-room modern house and 4-room cottage, good barn, lot 50x190 feet, east front, on South Nevada ave., close in, rentals $55 per month.

I have the best improved and unimproved properties and tracts in the Ivywild district for sale. Buy now before the advance which is inevitable next spring.
W. W. WILLIAMSON,
REAL ESTATE, LOANS AND INSURANCE.
Tel. 475-A. 2 N. Tejon St.

MATTHEWS & McMAHAN,
117 E. Pike's Peak ave.

THESE ARE LOW PRICES:

4-room house, lot 50x190 ..... $1,650

3-room house, lot 100x350 1,900

If you own a lot we can build you a house on easy payments and save you money.

DEWEESE & TURNBULL, at Canon City, Colo., will send you descriptive and illustrative circulars, maps and price lists, if you will ask for them. These pamphlets will tell you all about the good investments in fruit lands in Canon City and its near vicinity. Land values are increasing. BUY NOW.

DO NOT WAIT until 1902 before buying a home; we are offering the best lots in Colorado Springs, with a home built to suit you, for a small payment down and easy monthly installments. Hastings Bros., 22 N. Tejon st.

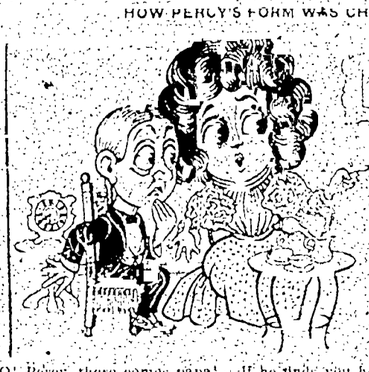
FOR SALE—I will sell my equity in a fine North Corona lot for $175 in cash, and balance on easy payments. The price will be made an object to you. Address W. F. H., P. O. Box 582.

FOR SALE—Fall Queen Orchard, corner Nevada and Lowell; lot 100x190; a bargain. Call 1112 E. Nevada ave.

THREE small dwellings, must go; bargain. Call 601 E. Boulder st.

TWO ranches, one improved. Cole, 5 S. Cascade.

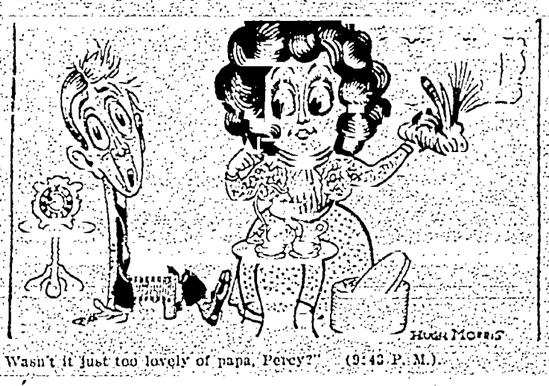
HOW PERCY'S FORM WAS CHANGED.



"O! Percy, there comes papa! If he finds you here he'll" (8:32 P. M.)

"O! so dear of you papa, to bring me such a sweet hat!" (8:33 P. M.)

"Do have a cup of tea, papa!" (8:37 P. M.)



Wasn't it just too lovely of papa, Percy?" (9:43 P. M.)

LEGAL NOTICES

Proposals For Burial of Paupers.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of County Commissioners of El Paso County, Colorado, up to 4 p. m., Monday, December 30th, 1901, for the burial of deceased county paupers for one year, commencing January 1st, 1902. Coffins to be good and substantial, made to order of dry inch pine, sound lumber, planed on both sides, well put together with nails or screws, and covered with black cloth. Corpse to be buried in some public cemetery in a proper manner upon notification by the Superintendent of the Poor or Superintendent of County Hospital.

Bidders will state price of each coffin and burial complete.

Proposals must be addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Proposals for Burial of Paupers."

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners.
(Seal.) W. H. Reed, County Clerk.
December 9, 1901.

Proposals For County Advertisements.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of County Commissioners of El Paso County, Colorado, up to 4 p. m., Monday, December 30th, 1901, for publishing the County Advertisements for one year beginning January 1st, 1902.

PROPOSALS MUST CONTAIN—

First—The price per inch, nonpareil type, set solid, for printing the delinquent tax sale list once a week for not less than four weeks.

Second—The price per line for all miscellaneous advertisements for daily and weekly editions for first and each subsequent insertion, 12 lines per inch, solid.

Third—The price per inch for publishing the County Clerk's semi-annual reports in daily and weekly, or either, for first and each subsequent insertion.

Bidders must agree to certain specifications as to form and style furnished by the proper officers of said County.

Bidders will be required to file with proposals a statement under oath setting forth the circulation of their respective newspapers within the County of El Paso for the month of December, 1901, stating the number of issues in such circulation. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check of five hundred dollars payable to the order of the undersigned as an evidence of good faith on the part of the bidder. A good and sufficient bond in the penal sum of five thousand dollars will be required of the successful bidder. Proposals must be addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Proposals for Advertising."

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners.
(Seal.) W. H. Reed, County Clerk.
December 9, 1901.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Exchange National bank of Colorado Springs, Colo., for the election of directors and the transaction of other legitimate business will be held in the banking house of said bank on the 14th day of January, 1902, between the hours of 1 o'clock and 3 o'clock p. m. of said day. A. G. Sharp, Cashier.

LEGAL NOTICES

Proposals For Books and Stationery.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of County Commissioners of El Paso County, Colorado, up to 4 p. m., Monday, December 30th, 1901, for furnishing said county for one year, commencing January 1st, 1902, with all books, stationery, records, printing, lithographing and incidental office supplies, specifically mentioning and describing them, as are used by the several offices of said county.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check of five hundred dollars as an evidence of good faith on the part of the bidder.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a good and sufficient bond in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars.

Proposals must be addressed to the undersigned and endorsed, "Proposals for books, stationery, etc."

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Specifications will be furnished upon application to the Clerk of the Board.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners.
(Seal.) W. H. Reed, County Clerk.
December 9, 1901.

Proposals For Coal.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of County Commissioners of El Paso County, Colorado, up to 4 p. m., Monday, December 30th, 1901, for furnishing said county with coal for one year commencing January 1, 1902.

Bids will state the price per ton for the various kinds, Bituminous, Anthracite and Lignite Coal, clean, well screened and free from slate. To be delivered at such times and to such places and in such quantities as the Board may direct within the City of Colorado Springs.

Proposals must be addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Proposals for Coal."

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners.
(Seal.) W. H. Reed, County Clerk.
December 9, 1901.

NOTICE.

To the Stockholders of the Hallett & Hamburg Gold Mining Company:

Whereas, At a meeting of the board of directors of the said The Hallett & Hamburg Gold Mining Company held at the office of said company in the city of Colorado Springs on the 21st day of November, A. D. 1901, upon due and legal request by the stockholders of the said corporation, the said board took action duly authorizing the calling and holding of a meeting for the purpose of dissolving said corporation and winding up its affairs.

Now, Therefore, You, and each of you, are hereby notified that a special meeting of the stockholders of the said the Hallett & Hamburg Gold Mining Company will be held at the office of said company, No. 12 N. Nevada avenue, Colorado Springs, El Paso county, Colorado, on Monday, the 20th day of December, A. D. 1901, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of considering the propriety of dissolving said corporation, selling the remainder of its property, distributing the proceeds from such sale and winding up its affairs in accordance with the statute in such cases made and provided.

Dated at Colorado Springs, Colorado, this 27th day of November, A. D. 1901.
W. R. Barnes,
Secretary of the Hallett & Hamburg Gold Mining Company.

LEGAL NOTICES

Colorado Springs, Colo., Nov. 30, 1901.

To the Stockholders of the Gold Knob Mining and Town Site Company:

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Gold Knob Mining and Town Site company, for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before such meeting, will be held at the office of the company, with Messrs. William P. Bonbright & Co., 20 North Tejon street, Colorado Springs, Colorado, at 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, December 31, 1901.

The stock transfer books will be closed at 12 o'clock noon on the 21st day of December, 1901, and will reopen on the day after the final adjournment of the meeting.

Yours truly, Irving W. Bonbright, Secretary.
First publication Dec. 23, 1901.
Last publication Dec. 31, 1901.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

A special meeting of the stockholders of the Pecos Valley Orchard Co. will be held at the office of the company in Colorado Springs, Colorado, on the 30th day of December, 1901, for the purpose of considering a proposition for the sale of all of the company's property in Chaves county, New Mexico.
Percy Hagerman, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National bank of Colorado Springs, Colo., for the purpose of electing seven directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business that may come before them, will be held at their banking office on Tuesday, January 14, 1902, between the hours of 11 and 12 o'clock a. m. A. Sutton, Cashier.
First insertion Dec. 14, 1901.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the El Paso National bank of Colorado Springs, Colo., for the election of directors and the transaction of other legitimate business will be held in the banking house of said bank on the 14th day of January, 1902, between the hours of 1 o'clock and 3 o'clock p. m. of said day. C. L. Hemming, Cashier.

LIBRARY BUILDING, UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO.

Request for Plans and Specifications.

To Architects and Librarians in the State of Colorado:

The board of regents of the University of Colorado requests the submission to them of plans and specifications for a library building to be erected at the State university at Boulder, Colo., the said plans and specifications to be submitted under the following conditions:

1. Said plans and specifications to be for a building containing the following general features:

Said building to contain administration rooms, reading rooms, seminar rooms, stack room and auditorium to seat not less than 1,000 persons.

The plans to be drawn so that a portion of the building may be completed and used before the entire building is finished, such portion to cost not to exceed the sum of $40,000.00.

The cost of the completed building to be $75,000.00.

The board of regents will pay the following prizes:

For what it believes the best plan, the sum of one hundred and fifty ($150.00) dollars.

For the second plan one hundred ($100.00) dollars.

For the third plan fifty ($50.00) dollars; and

For the fourth plan fifty ($50.00) dollars.

All plans offered, whether receiving a prize or not, shall thereupon become the property of the board and may be used, in whole or in part, by it as it may see fit.

Said plans to be received on or before the 21st day of January, 1902, by the secretary of the board of regents, and to be opened at the university at Boulder on the 22d day of January, 1902, by the board of regents and the prizes to be awarded as soon thereafter as the board may agree upon the same.

The board of regents reserves the right to reject any or all of the plans and specifications offered.

All plans and specifications to be sent to E. J. Morath, secretary of the board of regents, Boulder, Colo.

THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES

COLORADO SPRINGS & CRIPPLE CREEK RAILWAY.
The Short Line.

WEST BOUND.

No. 5	Lv. Colorado Springs	10:37 am
	Ar. Cripple Creek	1:20 pm
No. 6	Lv. Colorado Springs	4:20 pm
	Ar. Cripple Creek	7:15 pm

EAST BOUND.

No. 8	Lv. Cripple Creek	7:30 am
	Ar. Colorado Springs	10:05 am
No. 4	Lv. Cripple Creek	4:00 pm
	Ar. Colorado Springs	6:45 pm

Through trains of day coaches between Denver and Cripple Creek are run over the D. & R. G. R. R. to and from Colorado Springs.

The Short Line trains arrive at and depart from D. & R. G. station, Antlers park, Colorado Springs. City ticket office, No. 16 N. Tejon street.

TIME CARD.

MANITOU & PIKE'S PEAK RY. CO.

Up Trains. Daily.	STATIONS.	Down Trains. Daily.
9:35 am	Manitou	5:45 pm
9:42 am	Minnehaha	5:37 pm
9:52 am	Half-way House	5:27 pm
10:06 am	Mountain View	5:13 pm
10:26 am	Windy Point	4:53 pm
11:00 am	Summit	4:18 pm
		4:56 pm
		6:15 pm

"THE COLORADO ROAD."

The Colorado and Southern Railway. Depot—East Pike's Peak Avenue (Union Passenger Station.)

NORTH BOUND.

No. 9	For Denver and Central City	4:40 am
No. 3	For Denver, Boulder and east	7:00 am
No. 1	For Denver, Chicago, St. Louis	1:00 pm
No. 15	For Denver, via Manitou Junction	7:00 am
No. 60	For Denver and East	10:35 am
No. 62	For Denver	3:40 pm
No. 5	For Denver, Chicago, St. Louis and East	6:25 pm

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 65	For Pueblo	8:40 am
No. 10	From Denver (arrives)	2:15 am
No. 4	For Pueblo	11:00 am
No. 2	For Pueblo, Trinidad and Texas	2:30 pm
No. 60	For Pueblo	6:20 pm
No. 6	For Pueblo and Chicago	10:20 pm
No. 12	From Denver (arrives)	11:40 pm
No. 14	From Denver, via Manitou Junction (arrives)	7:00 pm

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Commercial Agent.
Phone 21. 15 N. Tejon St.

SANTA FE.

Union Station, East Pike's Peak Avenue.
November 3, 1901.

EASTBOUND AND CALIFORNIA.

Kansas City and Chicago	8:40 am
Denver to Pueblo	11:00 am
Denver to Pueblo	2:00 pm
California Limited and Kansas City and Chicago	6:20 pm
Chicago, vestibuled, electric lighted	10:20 pm
Denver to Colorado Springs	11:40 pm

NORTHBOUND, TO DENVER.

Colorado Springs to Denver	4:40 am
From Chicago, Kansas City and California	7:00 am
Kansas City to Denver	10:35 am
Pueblo to Denver	1:00 pm
Limited from California	3:40 pm
Pueblo to Denver	6:25 pm

C. C. HOYT,
City Passenger Agent.
18 N. Tejon St.
A. E. Ford, Depot Agent.

THE MIDLAND TERMINAL RY.
(Cripple Creek Short Line.)

Leave Colorado Springs	12:05 am
Arrive Cripple Creek	5:10 am
Leave Colorado Springs	8:00 am
Arrive Cripple Creek	10:55 am
Leave Colorado Springs	11:05 am
Arrive Cripple Creek	2:00 pm
Leave Cripple Creek	8:00 am
Arrive Colorado Springs	10:45 am
Leave Cripple Creek	2:45 pm
Arrive Colorado Springs	5:45 pm
Leave Cripple Creek	11:50 pm
Arrive Colorado Springs	3:40 am

Trains arriving at Colorado Springs at 5:40 a. m. and leaving at 12:05 a. m. are equipped with Pullman sleepers.

COLORADO MIDLAND RAILWAY.

WEST BOUND.

No. 5	Salt Lake and San Francisco Limited leaves	12:05 am
No. 7	Cripple Creek and Victor Local leaves	8:00 am
No. 5	Leadville, Glenwood, Salt Lake and San Francisco Express leaves	11:05 am

EAST BOUND.

No. 10	Cripple Creek and Denver Local arrives	2:40 am
No. 6	San Francisco, Salt Lake and Glenwood Express arrives	8:00 am
No. 8	Cripple Creek and Victor Local arrives	10:45 am
No. 12	Cripple Creek Express arrives	3:15 pm
No. 4	San Francisco and Salt Lake Limited arrives	6:15 pm

City Ticket Office, 13 N. Tejon street.
CHAS. CHANDLER,
City Passenger Agent.

THE ROCK ISLAND ROUTE.

LEAVE COLORADO SPRINGS.

No. 6	Vestibuled Limited for Chicago and St. Louis, via Kansas City, St. Joe and Omaha	8:10 pm
No. 10	Kansas City, St. Joseph, Omaha and St. Louis	2:35 pm
No. 5	Limited to Pueblo	7:55 am

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No. 9	Fast Express from Kansas City, St. Joseph, Omaha and St. Louis	10:35 am

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Train No. 2.		Train No. 1.
Lv. 10:29 am	Colo. Spgs. Ar.	1:21 pm
Ar. 11:40 am	Pueblo Lv.	12:05 pm
Lv. 1:00 pm	Pueblo Ar.	11:40 am
Ar. 3:00 am	Kansas City Lv.	8:00 pm
Lv. 9:00 am	Kansas City Ar.	5:20 pm
Ar. 6:05 pm	St. Louis Lv.	9:00 am

Train No. 8.		Train No. 4.
Lv. 2:47 pm	Colo. Spgs. Ar.	9:17 am
Ar. 7:00 pm	Pueblo Lv.	8:10 am
Lv. 7:20 pm	Pueblo Ar.	7:50 am
Ar. 5:40 pm	Kansas City Lv.	10:00 am
Lv. 9:00 pm	Kansas City Ar.	7:10 am
Ar. 7:10 am	Kansas City Lv.	9:15 pm

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BRIEF CITY ITEMS.

DAILY WEATHER RECORD.

The following meteorological record is furnished by the Colorado college weather bureau. Observations recorded in local time:

Dec. 23, 8 p. m. to Dec. 24, 8 p. m.
Temperature at 8 a. m. 22
Temperature at 12 m. 32
Temperature at 8 p. m. 22
Maximum temperature 45
Minimum temperature 19
Mean temperature 32
Max. barometric pressure, inches 22.77
Min. barometric pressure, inches 22.60
Mean velocity of wind per hour 18
Max. velocity of wind per hour 45
Relative humidity at 8 a. m. 48
Relative humidity at 12 m. 26
Relative humidity at 8 p. m. 42
Mean relative humidity 42
Mean dew point 17
Precipitation in inches ..... .00

WEATHER FORECAST.

Washington, Dec. 23.—Forecast for Colorado: Fair Monday and Tuesday; colder Monday; fresh easterly portion. Westerly winds.

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ANNUAL MEETING—The annual meeting and election of officers of the Pike's Peak club will be held next Saturday evening at the club.

WILL LOCATE HERE—Prof. Ralph H. Thomason, the mind reader whose clever exhibition at the Alamo hotel several days ago was mentioned in the Gazette at the time, has decided to locate in this city.

PARENTS' MEETING—A parents' meeting will be held this evening at No. 590 South Wahsatch avenue, under the auspices of the mothers' department of the W. C. T. U. The program includes a musical entertainment.

TEACHERS TO MEET—A number of Colorado Springs teachers contemplate going to Denver to attend the annual meeting of the Teachers' association. The meetings will be held at the East Denver High school, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

GOSPEL MEETING—Rev. William Franklin, foreign field superintendent of the Christian Missionary alliance, will address the union gospel meeting at the Swedish Mission church on East Boulder street this evening. The meeting begins at 7:30 o'clock.

Xmas decorative material and all kinds of appropriate Xmas plants, including poinsettias, azaleas, cinerarias, cyclamen, primroses, palms, ferns, etc. The Crump Greenhouses, Cor. Columbia and Corona avenues. Phone 576.

MUSICAL CLUB—The fourth concert of the Colorado Springs Musical club will be given this evening in the Perkins hall at 8 o'clock instead of in the afternoon as usual. Non-members can obtain tickets at the Hext Music store and at Robinson's drug store or at the door. Price, 25 cents.

CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT—The Sunday school of the First Baptist church will hold its annual Christmas entertainment Tuesday evening at 7:30. An interesting program has been arranged, in which Santa Claus and Mrs. Santa will participate. All parents and friends are cordially invited.

POLICE CHANGES—Officer Harvey Gillingham, who has been on the Tejon street beat, has been changed over to the night mounted run. Officer Draper, who has been superintendent of the rock pile gang, is now walking a beat temporarily and Officer John Scofield has been put on regular work.

REVIVAL SERVICES—The revival services at Mt. Olive Baptist church yesterday were interesting and well attended. Evangelist Miner preached and at the evening service a number of those present related experiences. The meetings will continue tonight and Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

TO SELL PILLOW—The couch pillow sent by Mrs. Roosevelt, wife of the president, and which is to be sold for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A. building fund, will be auctioned off at 8 o'clock tomorrow at Giddings Brothers' store. From the interest shown in the pillow the holding should be spirited.

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"ANEMONES" at book stores.

FOR CHRISTMAS

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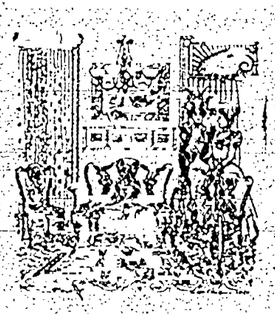

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